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INTERPORT BOWLER SERIOUSLY INJURED

Steps Mishap in Kowloon Docks

FALL OF 15 FEET

MR. F. CULLEN IN
HOSPITAL

UNABLE TO PLAY TO-MORROW

A serious mishap has befallen Mr. F. Cullen, the Interport bowls player, who yesterday fell from a flight of steps in the vicinity of the Kowloon Docks Recreation Club and suffered injuries to his head.

Only brief details of the unfortunate accident are available, but it is understood that Mr. Cullen, who is employed in the stores department of the Kowloon Docks, dropped from a height of about fifteen feet and struck his head against a balustrade.

He was taken to the Kowloon Hospital in a serious condition, and enquiries this morning elicited the information that his condition is such as to give rise to some anxiety.

DUE TO PLAY TO-MORROW.

Mr. Cullen was to have played in the first Interport bowls match against Shanghai on the Craikeng-gower green to-morrow, having been selected as No. 3 to R. F. Luz, the Recreation skip.

He will, of course, be out of the game and the Bowls Association will have to call on a reserve.

Mr. W. Mair, of the Police, has been selected to take Mr. Cullen's place in the Interport team.

CABINET MEETING ON DISARMAMENT

Sir John Simon Staying
in London

London, Oct. 5. A Cabinet meeting which, it is understood, will be mainly concerned with the present position of the disarmament negotiations will be held on Monday.

Sir John Simon, who returned from Geneva last week-end, will remain in London to attend it.

The Foreign Under-Secretary, Captain Anthony Eden, will proceed to Geneva on Saturday to attend Monday's meeting of the Disarmament Bureau. —British Wireless.

STOP PRESS

D. C. Phillips, second engineer of the s.s. Wing On, was charged with manslaughter at the Central Police Court this morning.

He was remanded for a week and granted bail in the sum of \$1,000.

The charge arises from the incident at Wanchai on Wednesday morning, following which an African died in hospital.

TWELVE WINNERS IN A ROW

Richards Score Five
More

London, Oct. 5. Gordon Richards, the champion jockey, advanced sharply towards a new record to-day, when he won the first five races at Cheltenham, having then ridden twelve winners in succession.

His total winners during the season is 217. Fred Archer's record is 247 winners. There are thirty-nine more racing days. —Reuter.

DISQUIET IN SPAIN

STATE OF SIEGE IN
CATALONIA

THE MINISTERIAL
CRISIS

Madrid, Oct. 6. Acute nervousness exists throughout the whole of Spain, following the collapse of the Lerroux Government.

Serious developments are feared and strikes are breaking out, notably in Catalonia.

"A State of Prevention" has been declared in the Province, this being tantamount to a preliminary state of siege. This is the outcome of a strike of the workers in the electric supply companies and the gas works, creating a situation of peril.

Pending a settlement of the Ministerial crisis the situation is not likely to improve and in this matter, President Zamora is in a dilemma, with Socialists demanding revolution to the bitter end, while the Right Wing, backed by the weight of public opinion, calls for the dissolution of the Cortes.

In the meantime, the Lerroux Government is functioning temporarily. —Reuter.

STOCK MARKETS CLOSE FIRM

IMPROVEMENT SHOWN
ALL ROUND

London, Oct. 5. The stock markets closed generally firm. British funds were strong, with war loan 3½ per cent. at 101½.

German bonds were also higher, but Kaffirs were weak. Tin shares were buoyant, and Internationals firm.

MA CHAN-SHAN

DEFERS TO NANKING
WISHES

Tientsin, Oct. 6. General Ma Chan-shan returned to Tientsin yesterday. He said that some of the troops and officers who fought with him in Hailujiang in 1931-1932 will be incorporated with the Nanking army and he had no immediate intention of resuming the volunteer activities in Manchuria.

SHOCK FOR HERTZOG

CAPE REJECTS FUSION
PROPOSALS

EARLY GENERAL
ELECTION

Capetown, Oct. 5.

General Hertzog's ideas regarding the fusion of the Nationalist and South African Parties received a sharp setback to-day at Port Elizabeth.

A general election in the near future is now regarded as almost inevitable.

The blow came at a meeting of the Cape Nationalist Congress when a proposal for the fusion of the parties was made by Mr. Fourie, the Minister for Mines, on behalf of General Hertzog.

Powerful speeches were made in support of the proposal, but the criticism was severe and the proposal was defeated by an overwhelming majority, 142 votes to 30.

MALAN VICTORY.

The margin of defeat was more astonishing than the setback itself. General Hertzog's hopes of fusion in Cape Province are definitely destroyed.

The sway of the Congress against Hertzog is regarded as a great personal victory for Dr. Malan, formerly General Hertzog's right-hand man and now his principal opponent.

It is considered highly probable that the vote, which practically amounted to one of no-confidence, will produce the resignation of General Hertzog from leadership of the Nationalists, with an early general election. —Reuter.

NO MORE WATER SHORTAGE

MACAO'S PROBLEM
SOLVED

(Our Own Correspondent).

Macao, Oct. 6.

The informal final tests were carried out successfully yesterday afternoon of the Macao Waterworks Company's new mains for supplying water from the river.

Among the visitors who watched the demonstrations were the Governor of Macao and his wife, and the Chairman of the Municipal Council.

All unanimously declared that they were satisfied that a complete solution of the Colony's water problem had been found. The Company proposes to furnish water gratis during the fortnight preparatory to the inauguration of the house serves.

The formal inauguration ceremony has not yet been announced, but it will probably take place early in November.

LORD COWDRAY

DEATH RATHER
SUDDEN

London, Oct. 5.

Viscount Cowdray, who died suddenly to-day aged 51 years, was connected with the well-known Engineering Contractors, Messrs. Westman, Pearson and Co., and took an active interest in sport, particularly polo, and politics. For several years he was a Liberal Member of Parliament. —British Wireless.



The Shih Di Ping Shi, which was wrecked at Mindanao, shown with members of her crew.

DR. DOLLFUSS'S ASSAILANT

Now Confesses to Being
a Nazi

Vienna, Oct. 6.

Bertil Dr. Dollfuss's assailant has now confessed to membership of the Nazi party, according to a police communiqué.

Two of his friends, suspected of connivance, have been arrested. —Reuter.

SLUM CLEARANCE

CONSERVATIVE PARTY
SUPPORT

GOOD PROGRESS
HERALDED

London, Oct. 5. The Conservative Party Conference, at which there were present 1,800 delegates from all parts of Britain, to-day pledged itself to give full support to the Government's slum clearance policy.

The Minister of Health, Sir Hilton Young, who, a few months ago, called on all local authorities to prepare schemes for the total elimination of slums within five years, and the provision of alternative accommodation, reported that the first stage of the campaign had given good results.

The bulk of local authorities had, he said, taken up the task with energy and vision, and he had already received returns covering three-fifths of the population.

The estimated totals from these returns provide for the clearance of 210,000 houses and the rehousing of about 1,050,000 people in five years.

BIG EFFORT.

During the last ten years only 20,000 slum houses had been cleared and that effort was now being multiplied by twenty.

The cost would represent a total capital outlay in five years of £25 millions or £19 millions yearly. The Minister declared that the Government were determined to see the matter through and now that the bulk of the local authorities are devoting such vigour to the matter there would be no excuse for the laggards.

EMPIRE CONSOLIDATION.

Among other resolutions passed by the Conservative Conference was one urging that efforts should be concentrated on Empire consolidation and development, including emigration and the extension of inter-empire trade.

The leader of party, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, will address the Conference to-morrow and it is understood will deal with disarmament and other aspects of the international situation. —British Wireless.

COST OF THE LEAGUE

BRITAIN AND
ARREARS

MEASURES URGED
AT GENEVA.

London, Oct. 5. In the Budget Commission of the League Assembly to-day, the Financial Secretary to the British Treasury Mr. Hore Belisha, called for the reform of the system whereby members of the League which had failed to pay their contributions to it yet enjoyed all the privileges of membership.

Great Britain he pointed out, alone pays one-tenth of the cost of the League and the British Empire as a whole provides at least one quarter of the league's income.

"The League does not frankly ask us to pay what others do not pay, but it asks us to pay more than would be required if all States paid their subscriptions," he said.

He proposed measures to preclude the continuation of defaults by the States members concerned. The arrears outstanding last December amounted to \$900,000. —British Wireless.

CORRESPONDENCE

BEAR WITH A
SORE HEAD

Sir—You've heard the saying—What this country wants is more—?

Well what I am going to say is—What this Colony wants is more MEN.

I don't mean just males—they can be the other sex if they've got the kind of make-up which is expressed by MAN in capitals.

And don't think I mean cave-men. Its the big men that cave in quicker than the small, especially if you hit them in the middle.

No, I mean a man who has a respectable sense of his own value and is not convinced that because he is white or any other colour that he is the true ordained by the Deity. Nobody has ever offered proof of the colour of Jesus Christ but his sentiments would come as well from any kind of lips.

And I want a man who is not stuffed up with false begotten pride because he has left a tender domicile at home to become an Empire Builder.

We all know that Empire Builders were great men, and notice the past tense, but they didn't arrive at every foreign country by first class in a mail steamer. Nor were they heralded by a blare of trumpets and given homage as the Great I Am.

They came cautiously in fear of their lives, they traded honourably to preserve a nation's prestige, and they passed away thankfully in the conviction that their achievement would be consolidated.

After the Lord Mayor's show.

After the MEN had seen and conquered, came the RATS. A few of them at first; like rodents sneaking up the mooring

VIOLENT STRIKE SCENES

SERIOUS RIOTING IN
UNITED STATES

TEAR-GAS BOMBS EMPLOYED

WASHINGTON, OCT. 5. CONFLICTS BETWEEN POLICE AND STRIKERS, IN WHICH MANY HAVE BEEN INJURED AND IN WHICH TEAR-GAS BOMBS HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED, ARE REPORTED FROM MANY DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

Nine strike pickets were shot or clubbed into unconsciousness during a charge of two hundred deputy sheriffs on a picket line at Cambridge in Pennsylvania.

The strikers were finally overcome with tear-gas bombs, the fumes from which routed hundreds of spectators who were clustered on an adjacent hillside.

Police were involved in a similar attack on five hundred strikers at Steubenville, in Ohio, after their pickets had stoned employees of the Weirton Steel Company.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S PROBLEMS

On his return to Washington to-day, President Roosevelt found himself faced with a number of new developments in the recovery situation.

The President's price-fixing schemes are now seriously challenged.

The Consumers' Advisory Board of the National Recovery Administration, for example, have reiterated their strong opposition to any proposals for price-fixing in the Codes and have suggested that it is the responsibility of Federal agencies to get busy in detecting and preventing profiteering.

SHORTER HOURS: MORE PAY.

Meanwhile, Miss Frances Perkins, the Secretary of the Labour Department, the only woman in the Roosevelt Cabinet, addressing a meeting of the American Federation of Labour and endorsing the plea of Mr. Green for still shorter hours and still higher wages, has thrown herself in with the group

Top of a good ship to disappear unseen into the hold and there to gnaw out her very guts.

Then more of them, and more until they became a separate colony and by reason of their numbers gained the confidence to come out into the open.

Now in their human form they trade on a credit they have done nothing to earn. What was conceded as a token of respect they demand as a right and when an occasion calls for courage only their blanched pallor indicates they are white.

Some of them hold posts and some are responsible posts. But if you judged every man's importance by the angle of his nose you wouldn't think much of His Majesty after all.

Some of them lose posts and the number of these too, may soon form a Colony for they are augmented by the riff-raff failures who have always drifted from Port to Port in the Far East. Just as a good prey for palked parasites and one day it will be all scam and no head to the drink.

Reasonable men recognize that the Colony is going to have a taste of the unpleasant potion that an insatiable Deity is handing round to every nation and when budgets waver and confidence has to be stiffened, there is no room for rats.

INFLATION OPPONENT.

The Democratic leader, Senator Robinson, who has just returned from Europe, has come back with the firm conviction that currency inflation is dangerous and harmful. He declared that recovery effects could not succeed by means of inflation and he suggested instead the revelation and the stabilisation of the dollar, together with a prudent adjustment of price levels.

PENNSYLVANIA RIOTS.

In the labour field, the outlook is again rather serious in consequence of further outbreaks of violence.

While five hundred miners have returned to the collieries and the situation at Steubenville has quieted, there has been widespread rioting in the Pennsylvania coal-field and clashes between strike pickets and police in the Pittsburgh area. —Reuter.

RUBBER INDUSTRY.

RESTRICTION AGREEMENT IN SIGHT

London, Oct. 5. Despite difficulties still to be overcome, a decided move forward towards rubber production restriction appears to have begun.

Well-informed foreign report from The Hague forecast of an early meeting.

In Batavia, a Conference of Government Commissioners for native rubber districts of the Dutch East Indies, will go far towards determining the Dutch attitude.

Despite the suggestion from Dutch sources that restriction is not possible until Spring, the belief seems to be gaining ground in London that the Dutch representatives will be here within a fortnight. The end of the year will see an announcement of a definite decision, it is suggested. —Reuter.

RICE TAX

FUKIEN FOLLOWS
EXAMPLE

Foochow, Oct. 6. Following the example of Kwangtung, the Fukien authorities announce a decision to foreign rice import.

The receipt of a telegram from Mr. Fung Kung-ku, the Chinese Minister in London, is reported.

BROAD SHOULDERS STILL "DYNAMIC"

Width Expressed in Terms of Cylinders, Cones, Boatsails and Outstanding Seams

By Huguette Hargrove

Paris.—Fashions are said to reflect the times, and this certainly seems true of the clothes offered by the Parisian creators for the autumn. Never in the history of the mode have there been so many diverse trends. While the fundamental line, so far as things practical are concerned, is more or less normal and static, with trimming interpreted according to the individual creator's ideas, fantasy reigns supreme in clothes for leisure hours.

Luxurious and unusual fabrics and colour contrasts often achieved by the fur trimming, has been the aim of every couturier. Fur, as a matter of fact, never has been used quite so lavishly. It lines informal coats, in the less expensive varieties, and is used in enormous quantities on afternoon and evening gowns as well as wraps, fox and astrakhan being the big favourites for all.

Fancy wool fabrics, nearly all backed with white, fashion sports clothes. Diagonal stripes, fancy checks and tweeds, with heavy Melton cloth, represent the novelties.

Trains are in again for formal evening wear. Everybody features them. Molyneux, Schiaparelli, Maggy Rouff, Laloue and Marcel Rochas. Wonderful artificial flowers in the most unusual colour contrasts trim one side of the decollete at Molyneux's. Velvet gloves and belts in a deeper shade than the dress or directly contrasting are other highlights of this collection, and sometimes this is completed by a velvet hat.

Marcel Rochas, one of the youngest but most popular couturiers with Paris' younger set, offers the most moderate collection. He labels his clothes as "Dynamic," adding that he was unable to resist the temptation of continuing on the acutely modern theme of built-up shoulders, which he was the first to launch over two years ago, amid a great hue and cry.

All his coats are slightly bell-shaped at the hem and fullness is concentrated toward the front, both at the shoulder line and in the skirts. Deep, masculine pockets distinguish his sports coats, a feature which will give younger women a whole set of new attitudes.

Rochas' unusual treatment of the shoulder line is expressed in terms of cylinders, cones, boatsails, fins and outstanding seams. They are not voluminous, but the result is distinctly new and rather startling.

His evening clothes are interesting, to say the least. Directoire or Merveilleuse in inspiration, they are long, very slim and trailing. The neckline is high in front and generously décolleté at the back. They are obviously un-



(From Marcel Rochas)

Typical of the diverse trends of Paris fashions are these creations by Marcel Rochas. At left is a sports type coat with double ravers and huge pockets. But he dresses it up with voluminous fur sleeves and it becomes dressy enough for most informal occasions. A long, slim fitting, black velvet dress for formal wear (centre) achieves the "mosquitaire" silhouette. The huge bow at the neck is of starched chiffon and the black velvet picture hat in the "mildady" style has curled ostrich plumes. At right is a comfortable and practical coat for daytime wear, with twin sailboat sleeves and a swaggar back.

practical but highly picturesque, especially when completed by a "mildady" hat, wide of brim and trimmed with a sweeping ostrich feather. Some are sleeved and the skirt is slit almost to the knee in front.

Schiaparelli's establishment was bristling with excitement when she showed her latest ideas. Her new silhouette is extremely simple. Skirts are slim and straight, with waistlines and skirt lines normal. She retains her wide-at-the-top silhouette, believing it to

be the best expression of the modern woman.

Bodies are nearer perfection than ever before, according to this artist, so clothes have not to hide quite so many faults. The result is a great simplicity. Luxurious fabrics bring their note of splendour to daytime as well as evening clothes.

Black is first favourite for both daytime and evening, with touches of sky, llama, cathay and ombre blue, dashing Chinese reds, one very vivid (Peiping) and the

other a dark and dull shade sports things are fashioned of (Betel) with a generous sprinkling of beige, brown and granite grays.

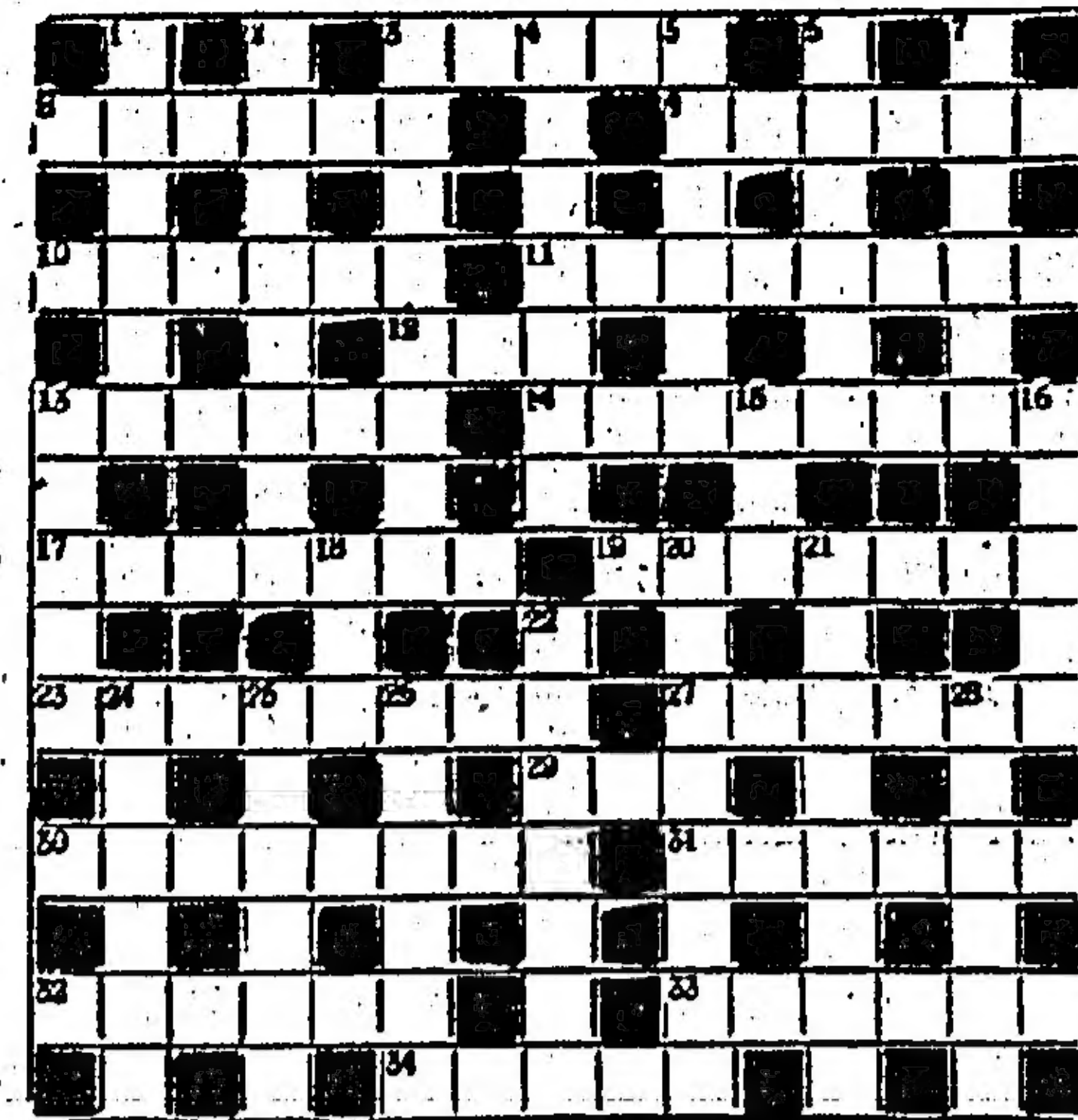
Molyneux continues to stress the fitted hipline silhouette throughout his collection. His day clothes are slim, with the waistline normal, and skirt hems reasonably long, essentially quiet and distinguished in their colouring, line and fur trimming.

Black is replaced by a deep, almost navy, blue and furs are dyed the same colour. All Rochas'

fancy fabrics and sometimes combine two such unusual colours as a red and white diagonal striped lainage trimmed with navy blue astrakhan over a navy blue dress. Green, gray and brown are also featured.

Afternoon dresses are either black or navy blue, and startlingly novel buttons, belts and hats accompany them. Rochas launches a new fur called "sky aigrette," which is fox with supple white aigrettes put in in the manner of the white bristle in pointed fox.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



- Across
- Come to tea: it will be heavenly.
 - Lack of anything but will will account for this.
 - The modern Clementine's lips are when above the water.
 - A steep slope provides a way out of a scrape.
 - Chivalrous.
 - Nothing to do with prunes, but makes a prison.
 - Flourish.
 - Sounds as though the weapon at your end might be magnified.
 - Brings up with the makings of a purser.
 - Miser who underwent a change of heart.
 - The metal-worker—noble lad—gives pride of place to his master.
 - A barrel in which a fowl has laid may, when turned round, be worth its weight in gold.
 - Bowled!
 - A military force that has nothing to order.
 - Periodical though, it is true, a removal will cancel.
 - The part of the wheel the suggests co-operation.
 - Add tone to give an edge.
 - This message is probably from Overcan.

- Down
- This scratchy plant supplies internal comfort.
 - As regards the curate, shake him up, and you'll find that he's quite an ordinary being.
 - I join the cathedral body at the head of the column.
 - This man is greatly addicted to

- the bottle.
- Axiom.
 - Here's a pigeon. Put the cat outside.
 - Her ale, rightly regarded, is as valuable as the doctor.
 - Crown the strings for the wood-wind.
 - Some hair!
 - Pass where one may see an English river at.
 - Sighs of satisfaction.
 - "No go—can't" (nag).
 - Even should the music fade, the muslin need not.
 - What the dance band singer did.
 - Discussed—probably in a byre, as a cow makes the opening remark.
 - Gilded bronzework.
 - Split.
 - Makes of piano.

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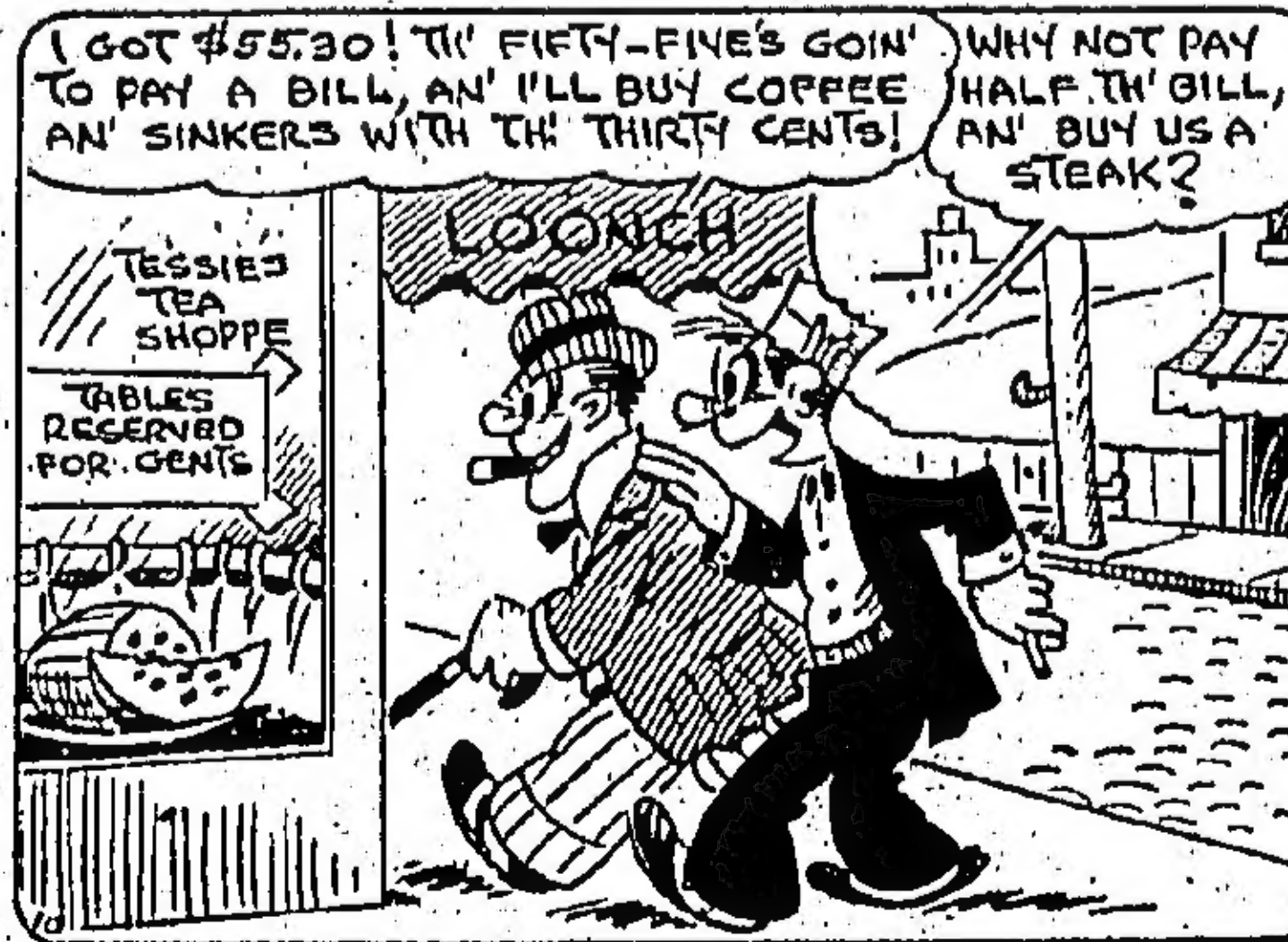
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For the LOVE of EVE by Lucy Walling

CHAPTER XL

The night before Thanksgiving day Eve ate dinner in a down town restaurant and then went to the library where she selected two of the newest books to read over the holiday. It was one of the evenings when she missed Dick dreadfully and wanted to put off going home. But when she finally arrived at the apartment she found a letter from Dick waiting for her on the hall table.

He wrote that he and some of the others had driven to Old Forge for the Thanksgiving turkeys for Mrs. Williams who kept the boarding house. They had attended a movie, the first Dick had seen since he left Lake City. He added that there would be 20 at the boarding house for Thanksgiving dinner—the men from the construction camp and a number of school teachers who took their meals there.

Was it jealousy that Eve felt when she read that sentence? She had pictured Dick as living in a man's world entirely. This was his first reference to the school teachers. Eve hoped fervently that all of them were middle-aged and unattractive, and not in any way like Dorothy McElhinney.

Eve spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Penney. They attended services at the Little Stone church together and then boarded a trolley which took them to the artist's home. Mrs. Penney had rented the second floor of a two-family house near the college her daughter attended. Eve could not refrain from complimenting her on the attractiveness of the rooms.

"Jean made those hooked rugs," Mrs. Penney said proudly. "And she made the draperies for the windows, too. Those pictures are some of my work, done before my marriage."

"Jean has a great deal of artistic talent," Eve commented. "Yes," answered Mrs. Penney. "Her father was an artist, too, but he died when Jean was a baby."

Eve refrained from asking questions and busied herself preparing salad for the dinner. Jean and a young man who was a classmate joined them after the football game and Mrs. Penney set the boy to work mashing the potatoes. Another girl and boy soon arrived and Mrs. Penney assigned them tasks. It was a merry dinner and the young people were so amusing that not once did Eve feel a pang

of homesickness.

The boys washed the dishes. Apparently they were quite at home in Mrs. Penney's flat.

"They are all from out of town," she explained to Eve. "And I mother them a bit. But they understand I must give most of my energy to my job and if they want to play here they must help with the work."

Jean and her friends left in the afternoon to attend a tea dance. Mrs. Penney invited Eve to curl up on the davenport while she pulled a small Windsor rocker closer to the fireplace.

"It must be a great satisfaction for you to have Jean!" began Eve. "I don't know what I would have done without her!" nodded Mrs. Penney. "She is all I have lived for these last 17 years. And she looks so much like her father."

That is my greatest job, I believe she has inherited his ability too. If he had lived I am sure he would have become one of our finest artists. His work at the time of his death was beginning to attract wide attention.

Eve was interested. She had wondered about the little woman with the brave, smiling face and gentle manners. Eve had always thought there must be an interest-

ing story concerning Mrs. Penney.

She encouraged her to go on.

"Jean's father studied in Paris and when he returned to this country he taught art classes in Chicago. I had gone there to study and was one of his pupils. Perhaps we would never have been more than acquaintances if we had not attended an artists' ball where fate or chance sent us together in an old-time circle two-step. We danced in perfect harmony and my heart as well as my soul took wings. Jean comes naturally by her love for dancing."

"After our marriage I continued to study art, but in private. We were extremely happy and when little Jean was born it seemed life could hold no greater happiness. Jean was just learning to say 'Daddy' and watch for him in the window at the close of day when he became ill. It was pneumonia."

and he was gone within the week."

Mrs. Penney's voice broke. Then she raised her chin in the manner Eve had noticed was characteristic of her and said calmly, "This is no subject for a holiday, Mrs. Radnor. Shall I turn on the radio?"

It was twilight and the room was lighted only by the flickering glow from the fireplace. Eve, nestling among the pillows on the comfortable davenport, begged her to go on with her story.

Mrs. Penney continued, "That is life, Mrs. Radnor. Sometimes we get our greatest joys when the skies seem brightest. But sometimes, too, when it seems we cannot go on, things suddenly make a right-about turn and the path is cleared ahead. Always there is something left to make it worth- (Continued on Page 5.)



With the Wing On and Sincere emporiums seen in the background this photograph, which was taken one morning on Chekiang Road, gives a clear illustration of the serious nature of the flooding at a point which is not far short of a mile from the Bund. The flooding in this district was of a very widespread character.



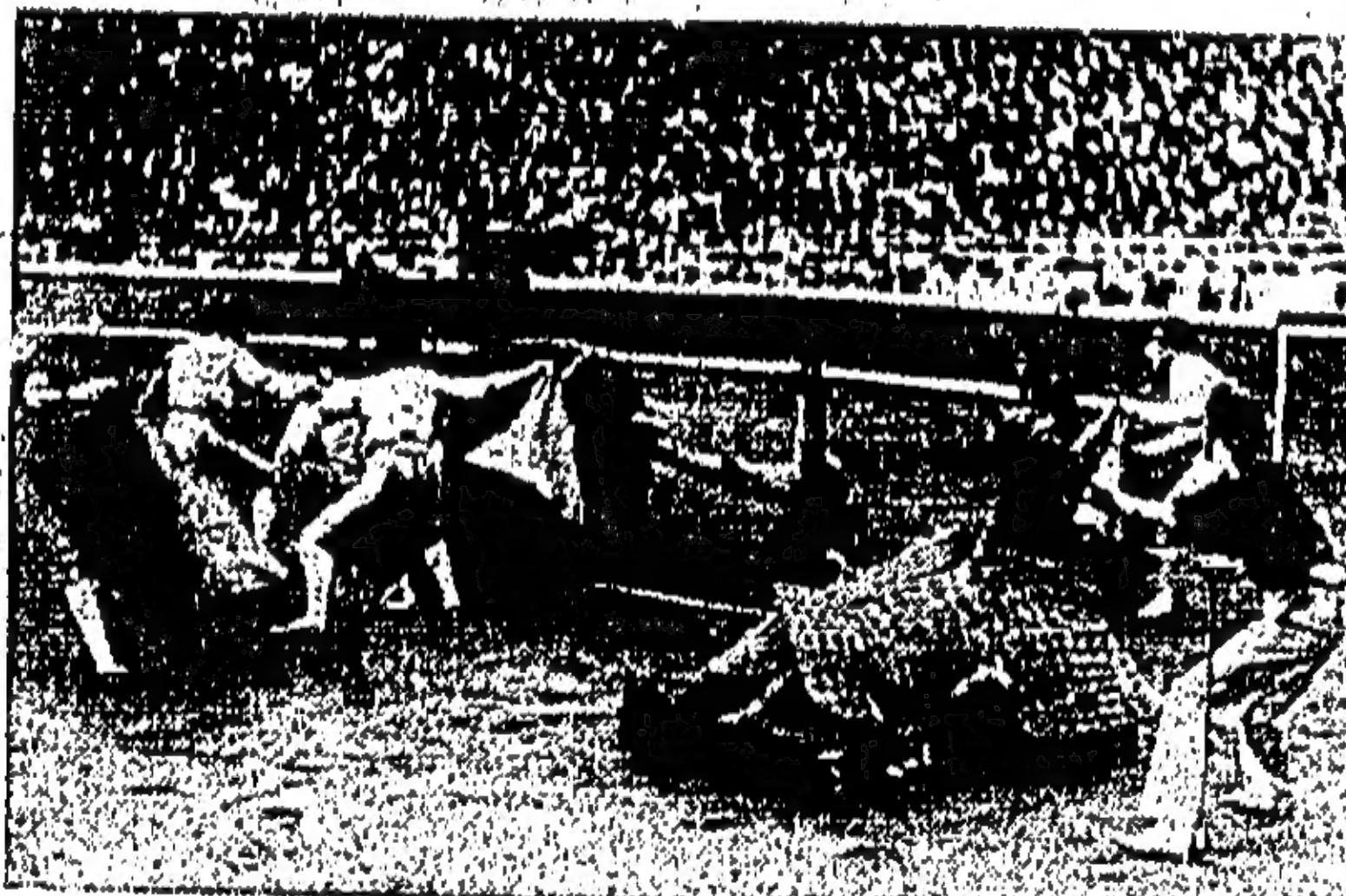
The surge of traffic was quieted but not stopped by swirling, yellow waters from the Whangpoo which stretched far up the city's main thoroughfare. Although some cars stalled and had to be abandoned temporarily, others sped through like launches. In a holiday mood, pedestrians sloshed along while the proprietors of shops and stores along the big street swept frantically with brooms to expel the waters from their floors.



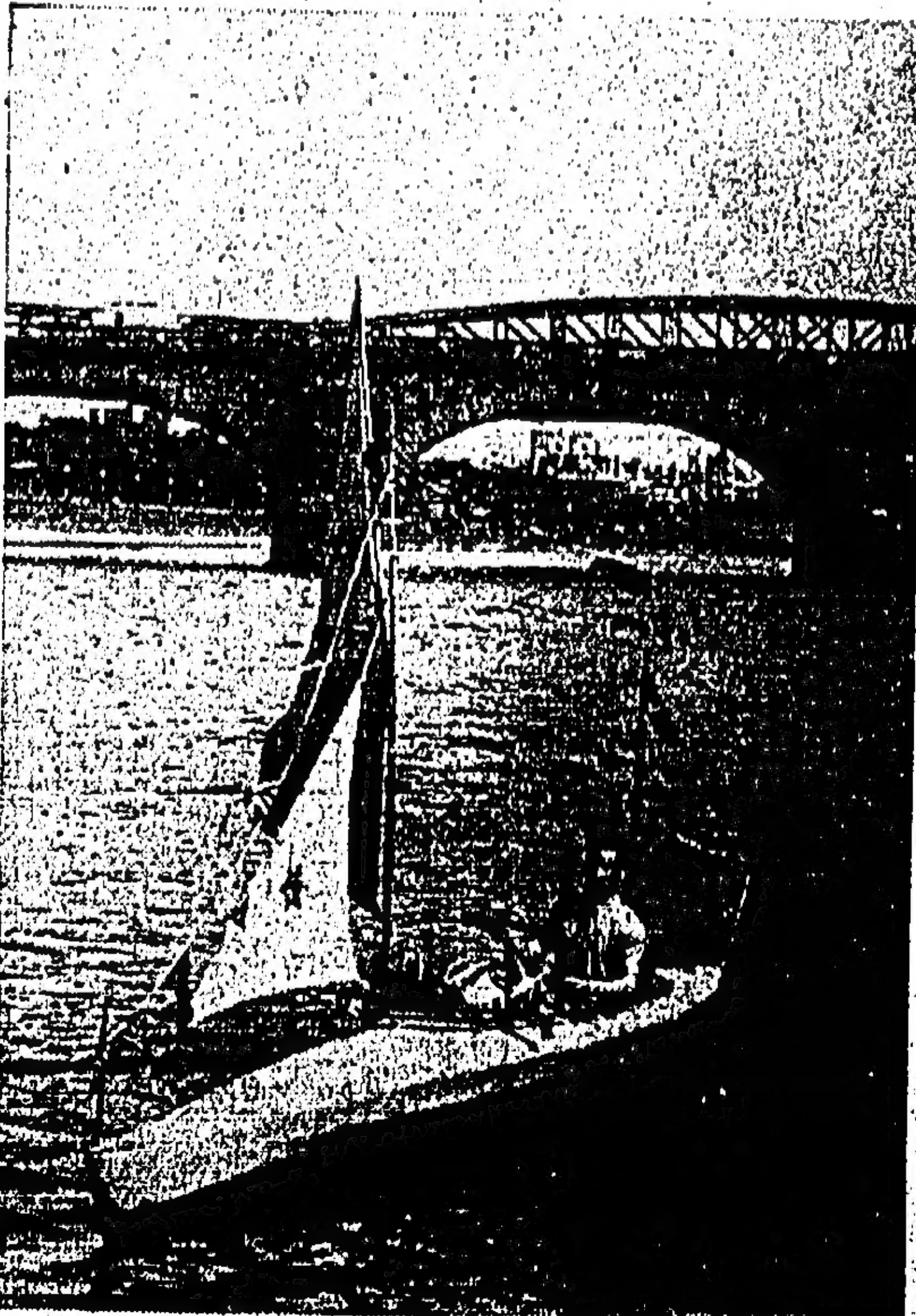
AN UNUSUAL SITUATION.—In one of the suburbs of Madrid a bull escaped on the way to the arena and as not all Spaniards are toreros people in the streets must clump up the house-walls. (Presses Illustrations Bureau).



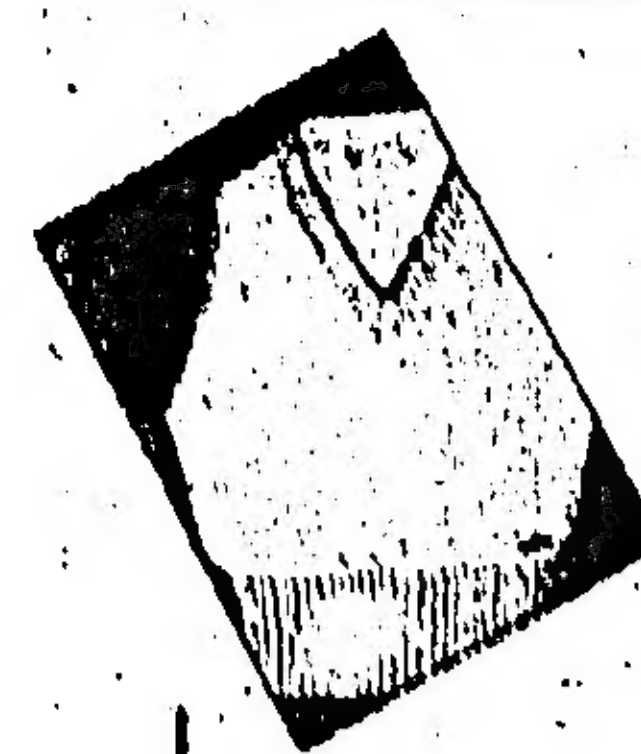
Wallace Berry, famous film star, with his baby, acknowledging the cheers of the crowd who greeted him on arrival at Waterloo Station. (Planet News).



Athrilling bullfight in the Bilbao ring was brought to a dramatic climax when the matador was lifted off his horse by the bull. Picture shows the matador falling to the ground during the fight, with attendants rushing to rescue the horse. (Planet News).



Mr. Colin Sullivan sailing down the Thames in a folding boat in which he is to attempt to sail to Australia. (Planet News).



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 Hongkong, 4th October, 1933.

NOTICE.

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A. C. FRANKLIN F.I.C.
 Hongkong, 5th October, 1933.

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No. of Sub-Registries	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in sq. feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Argyle Street	100 feet by 100 feet	10,000	\$2,400	\$10,000

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TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS
 The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.
 Hongkong Bank, \$1820/25 sa.
 Chartered Bank, £15 1/2 n.
 Mercantile Bank, A. & B., £22 1/2 n.
 Mercantile Bank C., £12 1/2 n.
 East Asia, \$104 n.
 Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
 China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4.75 n.
 China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurance.
 Canton Ins., \$320 b.
 Union Ins., \$575 sa.
 China Underwriters, \$2.10 n.
 China Fire, \$695 n.
 H.K. Fire, Ins., \$230 n.
 International Assce. Sh. \$6.50 n.

Shipping.
 Douglas, \$34 b.
 H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.
 Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.
 Indo-China, (Def.), \$35 n.
 Shells (Bearer), 66 3/8 n.
 Union Waterboats, \$15 n.

Mining.
 Antamoks, \$1.95 sa.
 Baintocs, \$37 n.
 Baguio Gold, 95 cts. sa.
 Benguet, \$47 1/2 b.
 Benguet Exploration, 50 cts. n.
 Benguet Goldfield, 30 cts. n.
 Benguet, 42 cts. b.
 Gold Creek, \$9 n.
 Ipo Mining, 66 1/2 n.
 Itogons, 87 1/2 n.
 Kailan, 30/- n.
 Langkats (Shing), \$18 1/2 n.
 S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$4.15 n.
 S'hai Loans, \$6.85 n.
 Rauba, \$12.50 n.
 Venz: Goldfields, 55 1/2 n.

Docks, etc.
 H.K. Wharves, \$128 s.
 H.K. Docks, \$16 1/2 n.
 S. China Motors A., \$6 n.
 S. China Motors B., \$6 n.
 Providents (old), \$3.80 n.
 Providents (new), \$1.35 n.
 Hongkows, Sh. \$848 n.
 New Engineering, Sh. \$8 n.
 Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$147 1/2 n.

Cotton Mills.
 Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$14.30 n.
 S'hai Cottons, Sh. \$14.9 n.
 Zoong Singa, Sh. \$14 1/2 n.
 Wing On Textiles Sh. \$50 n.
 Lands, Hotels, etc.
 H. and S. Hotels, \$6.85 b.
 H.K. Lands, \$79 s.
 S'hai Lands Sh. \$33 n.
 Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
 Humphreys, \$12.85 b.
 H.K. Realities, \$7 1/2 n.
 Asia Realities "A", Sh. \$140 n.
 Asia Realities "B", Sh. \$20 n.
 Chinese Estates, \$32 n.
 China Realities, Sh. \$15 1/2 n.
 China Debonature, Sh. \$187 n.
 Public Utilities.
 Tramways, \$22 1/2 n.
 Peak Trams (Old), \$15 1/2 n.
 Peak Trams, (New), \$7 1/2 n.
 Star Ferries, 99 s.
 Yau-mat Ferries (old), \$22 n.
 China Lights (old), \$11.85 b.
 China Lights (new), \$1.40 b.
 H.K. Electric, \$76 1/2 b.
 Macao Electric, \$23 n.
 Sandakan-Lights, \$10 1/2 n.
 Telephones (old), \$34 1/2 b.
 China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.
 Singapore Tractions, 2/6 sa.
 Singapore Prof., 15/- n.

Industrials.
 Malabon Sugars \$15 n.
 Cold: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
 Cold: Macg. (Prof.), \$19 1/2 n.
 Canton Ice, \$6 n.
 Cements (Com.), 4/3.90 sa.
 Cements (old), \$3 1/2 b.
 Cement (New), 50 cts. n.
 H.K. Ropes, \$7 1/2 n.
 Stores, etc.
 Dairy Farms, \$29 1/2 b.
 Wintons, \$8 1/2 s.
 Dar A Wings, \$1 n.
 Lane Crawfords, \$3.90 n.
 MacIntoshes, \$21 n.
 Sinceres, \$18 1/2 n.
 Wm. Powells, \$2.10 n.
 Wing On (H.K.), \$170 n.
 Miscellaneous.
 Amusements, \$10 n.
 H.K. Entertainments, \$10 1/2 n.
 S.C. Enterprises, \$1 1/2 n.
 United Theatres, Sh. \$1 1/2 n.
 Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.
 Constructions (old), \$3 1/2 n.
 Constructions (new), 90 cts. b.
 B. Ind. & S. Bonds, 78 1/2 n.
 H.K. Govt. Loans, 8 1/2 n.
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 Kowloon Branch 8 a.m.—9 a.m. 8 a.m.—11 a.m.
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 (6 p.m.—7 p.m.) (6 p.m.—7 p.m.)

The other Branch Post Offices will be open daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. only.
 There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence each day as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence each day at 9 a.m.
 The Money Order Office will be entirely closed during the holidays.

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 Japan Nagato Maru October 7.
 Australia and Manila Ncloro October 7.
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 Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Hanyang Fri., Oct. 6, 3 p.m.
 Saturday.
 Letters for "Bandong—Amsterdam—Corfu Air Mail Service" Sat., Oct. 7.
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 Reg. Oct. 6, 4.30 p.m. Reg. Oct. 6, 5 p.m.
 Letters Oct. 6, 5 p.m. Letters Oct. 7, 9 a.m.
 Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles Sat., Oct. 7.
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FOR THE LOVE OF EVE
BY LUCY WALLING

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while for us to go on. Usually it is some other person.

"Little Jean and I have known some hard times. For more than eight years I met defeat at every turn. It was not so bad while I had my health. But when my health broke it was extremely hard to earn enough for us to live on. I let myself believe only the encouraging reports of those who had suffered similarly and determined I had not yet reached bottom. Each night I prayed that I would be able to get up next morning and to do the housework and take care of Jean. It seems a small boon to ask but it was a very important one. My recovery was complete and I shall try never to complain about anything again so long as I have health and the opportunity to earn a living."

Mrs. Penney smiled cheerfully and added, "I have some friends

who seem to disapprove of my attitude, which they say is too cheerful, and my active sense of humour. A crushed and mournful appearance would seem to them more becoming. But I have had to be both father and mother to little Jean and I want her to have a happy life. So you see I can't think of myself alone!"

What was it the minister had said that morning in church? "You ask for some living manifestation of God in our midst. Can you not see for yourself the sacrificing mother who forgets self in the interest of her child?"

There had been more, of course, but that one sentence of the Thanksgiving sermon stood out in Eve's memories, coupled with Mrs. Penney's story. What an infinitesimal thing the loss of dollars and cents seemed compared to the obstacles this little woman had had to battle alone. What a triumph over adversity was hers. Eve felt her own aims trivial after Mrs. Penney had finished her story.

When Eve reached home that night she wrote a long letter to her husband.

"And so," she wrote in conclusion, "after my talk with Mrs. Penney I've decided to give up work here and come to Pine Forest if you want me to and if there is a house available. I don't suppose there is such a thing as an apartment to be had there."

Slowly, with unsteady fingers, she folded the pages and placed them in an envelope. To-morrow she would tell Erle Barnes that she was through at Bixby's. She would sacrifice the dream that had been hers so long—the dream of seeing her name on the door of a private office above the words, "Advertising Manager." She would sacrifice all that for Dick.

Yes, Eve told herself, she was willing to forget her ambitions if Dick wanted her. "If he wanted her!" The words seemed to form themselves into a litany which sang itself over and over again in her mind.

(To Be Continued)

THE UNSOLVED RIDDLE
OF THE UNIVERSE

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along for millions of years trying and discarding and trying again until at long last it arrived in triumph at the Soviet slave camps and the American racketeers and the Cockney bag snatchers and the bombing plane and the Economic Conference.

Me! I've been reading biology and things until my brain bobs about like a shuttle-cock, and the conclusion to which I am driven is that life and evolution and the universe are mysteries which we have not begun to understand. Was it Sir Humphry Davy who said "The wider the area of light the wider the circle of darkness outside it?"

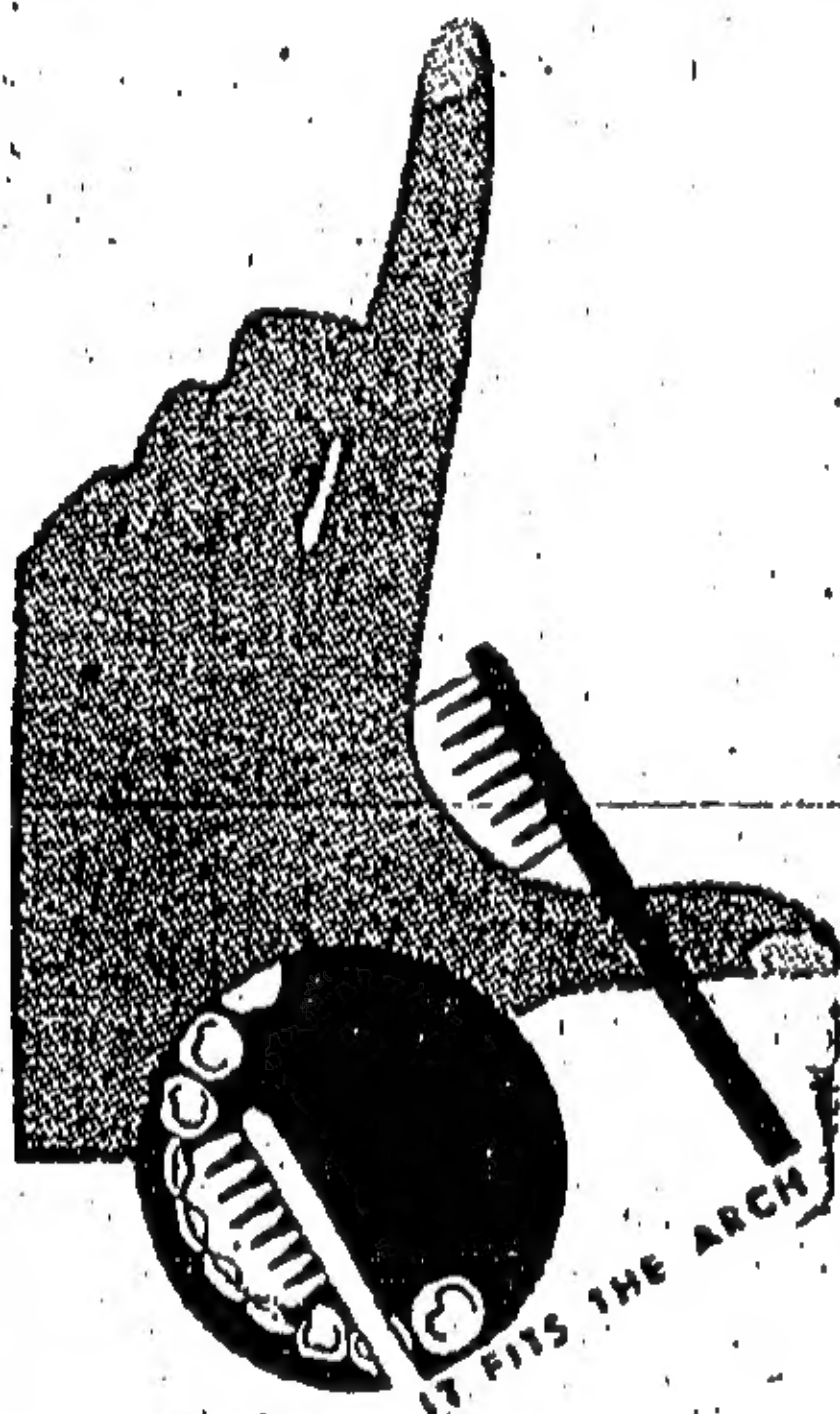
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The Hongkong Telegraph

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1933.

HARD TIMES AHEAD

The Hon. Colonial Secretary touched lightly upon the issue of Hongkong's falling trade in the course of his Budget speech, but his grievance was against the thought of loss of revenue; his concern for the trader was not particularly evidenced. Nevertheless, the problem is becoming serious and one deserving the earnest attention of government. Month by month since the year's beginning, the volume of trade has grown a little less and though it would not be fair to say that the dwindling movement has not been officially noticed, the inclination has been to visit it upon the general economic blizzard and to assume that we must simply wait in patience for it to wear itself out. No lesson is drawn from the bankruptcy of a silk store with a forty years' establishment behind it; from the disappearance of countless small dealers who have quietly shut up without causing a stir. An apathetic reference to a weeding-out process, and no more is said, because we suppose it is true enough, in a sense, and is likely to go on. But it points very grimly to the seriousness of the blight upon Hongkong's commercial life. While the diminution in the ebb and flow of trade each month has not been sensationally large, the aggregate drop since January runs into nine figures. A large volume of unemployment is created immediately by stagnation on the waterfront and diminishing purchasing power in one small section of the community soon begins to affect every other by inexorable economic laws. Internal consumption is even now falling away faster than the volume of exports. Small bankruptcies occur, temporarily refreshing other firms engaged in similar lines of business, enabling them to keep up appearances for a while, thus delaying full realisation of the truth of what is happening. In short, Hongkong is witnessing the working out of the processes which have brought many countries almost to their knees, some of them to their knees, some of them to their knees. And what is being done about it? Nothing! If we are permitted to judge from official pronouncements, Japanese competition we have to bear with; Hongkong is a free port. Silver? Our bankers, whose interests would seem to lie in an increase in China's purchasing power, an increase which would automatically be reflected in a Hongkong revival, have revealed themselves as opposed to all artificial measures of stimulation. "Strong as is the Colony's interest, it is too much to expect that official representations have been made to the Secretary of State in favour of measures for improving the price of silver. China's customs duties,

NOTES OF THE DAY

WAR DEBTS

Activity among prophets is a natural accompaniment to the resumption of war debt negotiations between Britain and the United States. Several solutions are suggested: they include a lump sum payment in silver purchased in the American market, a scaling down of annual instalments in return for trade concessions. Both are possible, the first being probably the most acceptable to both parties, provided a figure can be agreed on. That is the crux of the situation, of course. Speculation as to the probable outcome of the discussions can serve little purpose. The main thing is that they have opened and that the United States seems better disposed to see reason to-day than even a few months ago. The result will, of course, be of vital importance as the British debt agreement will form a model for the forthcoming negotiations with other debtors of the United States.

A CONDITION

The time has gone by to discuss either the ethics or the economics of war-debt payments. Instead of a theory, there is a condition to be faced. America's war debtors can hardly be expected to pay more to Washington than they are receiving by way of reparations. They want a "Lausanne reduction." Whenever an international debtor develops such an attitude, it usually happens that the creditor has to accept what he can get. It is an extraordinary situation that the creditor in this case seems to prefer continuing default to amicable settlement. President Roosevelt, however, has displayed an amazing faculty for bridging awkward situations. And he has the advantage over his predecessor that during his Administration so far farm buying power has been improved 30 per cent, 2,000,000 unemployed have been put back to work, and radical readjustments have been initiated in internal debts. These factors should add to his unique influence with Congress in helping them and the country to get accustomed to the thought that the United States cannot get all she bargained for.

MRS. PEARL BUCK

It hardly needed Mrs. Pearl Buck's observations to convince that goodwill and good sense marked the withdrawal of her connexion with the Presbyterian Mission Board. And a world of readers will rejoice that she will have more time to spare for writing. In one sense, Mrs. Buck has been less a missionary herself than the wife of a missionary. It is her husband, Dr. J. Lessing Buck, who has been doing the work in China to which the casual observer would be most likely to attach the label "missionary." Even in the case of Professor Buck—it is true—that his distinguished services as dean of the college of agriculture in the University of Nanking do not follow the pattern of what was commonly regarded as missionary work a generation ago. Mrs. Buck has herself taught regularly in the university. But it was not as a teacher in a mission college that Pearl Buck has become internationally famed. It is as the writer of novels, now translated into a dozen or more languages, that she has gained the attention of the world.

LITERARY STYLE:

What has given Mrs. Buck's books their importance? Much of the answer is to be found in a study of her literary method. Mrs. Buck has never ceased to keep herself immersed in Chinese life. Chinese have been her intimates; she has not known Chinese life; she has lived Chinese life. Added to that, she has saturated her mind with Chinese literature—not the academic philosophising of the ages, but the raw, vivid romances that make up an entire school of Chinese literature which the West scarcely knows exists. Thus it happened that when the West found its ear caught by the cadences of the style in which Mrs. Buck wrote "The Good Earth," it declared that her missionary background had sent her to the Old Testament for her model. Yet what had actually occurred was that Mrs. Buck, thinking her tale of Wang, the farmer in the forms of the Chinese novel, had accurately translated into English that traditional Chinese style. The thing that she has been able to do is to get at the very heart of another culture.

most damaging of all to Hongkong's commercial interests, are presumably outside the sphere of local government interest. Altogether, the outlook is anything but happy. Helpless we are or as we are asked to believe. We can do nothing but wait—for better—or for worse.

THE UNSOLVED RIDDLE OF THE UNIVERSE

By ROBERT BLATCHFORD

When Sir Oliver Lodge writes about science he does not write in an unknown tongue. But there are others. There are biologists. Biology has been built up by men of many nations: Britons, Germans, Russians, Frenchmen, and they have made a new language, the words of which are hard to read, harder to understand, and still harder to remember.

When Sir Oliver says: "Live things, it is now admitted, are actuated by something more than the physical and chemical reactions of their material organisms," he confronts us with the teasing riddle: "What is Life?" and suggests with native candour and courage that life is something more than matter.

When we ask ourselves "What is life?" we turn hopefully from the nature of life to its history. We ask another question: "How did life begin?"

HOW CAME IT ALIVE?

To answer that we must turn to biology and biology is hard digging. If we are to understand the biologists and get their message over to the man in the street we must translate their daunting language into plain English. That is not easy, for our doctors differ.

One party claim that man is an automaton, another party claim that man is a spirit.

I shall choose as opposing counsel, Dr. Hudson, author of "The Divine Pedigree of Man," and Professor Haeckel, author of "The Evolution of Man."

These writers agree about the known facts of evolution, but not about the original cause. And in my opinion, neither of them begins at the beginning. They begin with the lowest known form of life, which is the microscopic jelly speck called the Moneron. But the Moneron is alive, what is life, and where did it begin? An American writer, Professor Jordan, says: "The simplest organism we know is far more complex than the constitution of the United States."

Well, life did not begin, surely, at that stage. Life would begin by the action of mind on matter, like the first touch of a finger on a lute string, or it would begin by the chance meeting and mixing of two or more chemical elements. Life began, when?

In the childhood of the solar system the earth was a spinning ball of gas so hot that no animal or vegetable life was possible upon or in it. If mind gave life to matter it was not until the earth had cooled and water had appeared. If matter became alive by accident it was not until light and heat and moisture were suitable to the change.

When the earth was a spinning and rushing cloud of fire, life as we know it, could not be. But within that mass of consuming flame there must have been the makings of life. There must have been the seeds of the hills and the sea, the grass and the oaks. The primrose, the kingfisher, women and children, philosophy, science, the aeroplane, diplomacy, dog-racing, the Irish sweep and war.

If the makings of all life and all life's strivings and achievements were not present in the molting heat mass, then Professor

Haeckel was mistaken and life is not a cocktail shaken by the hand of casual forces.

Let us be cautious. Out of the fiery furnace came the makings of Protoplasm, and Protoplasm is the stuff of which life is made. Is it? Or is it the stuff into which mind put the beginnings of life?

FIRST STEP IN EVOLUTION.

Dr. Hudson asks: "Had primordial slime a creative mind?" I prefer to ask: Did the sea-slime create the Moneron? If the slime did that it did not only create a clot of jelly; it created life. It created the Moneron and the Moneron created the Amœba, which was the first step in Evolution. The Amœba, the single-cell of which all animals and plants are built, developed, by its own power, into the shark and the crocodile, the skylark and the gorilla and at length produced Plato and Herr Hitler and Dr. Crippen and the author of "The Swiss Family Robinson."

The evidence for evolution is overwhelming. Haeckel and Hudson agree that all forms of animal life, including man, have evolved from the Moneron, and many claim that the Moneron evolved from the Protoplasm. The dispute centres on the Moneron. The Moneron had life.

Did the Protoplasm accidentally or automatically create life, or did life clothe itself in Protoplasm?

I find it hard to believe that mindless matter created life, that life was born of lifeless slime. And we are confronted with the staggering claim that mindless, lifeless matter not only created life, but created a creative life, a living power to grow from a seed into a tree, from a speck of jelly into a populous world, into literature, science, religion; into a vast and intricate civilisation.

Sir Oliver Lodge says: "Life and mind never were functions of the material body, they only displayed themselves by means of the material organism." Dr. Hudson says the same, and he claims that the Moneron had a mind and able to grow and spread and become a human body and a human soul. He believes, to put his idea into Biblical words, that God breathed the breath of life into lifeless clay.

Here we come up against another puzzle.

If life was put into the Moneron with the purpose of evolving mankind and maybe something still higher, why the delay and why the deviations? Evolution by way of worms and fishes, reptiles and mammals, bears and apes, to man looks like a broken chain of experiments, a long, slow series of false starts.

A STORY OF TRIAL AND ERROR.

Would an all-knowing, all-seeing, all-powerful Creator have put into the Moneron a creative mind that would blink and probe and wander off the track, developing into conger eel and rattlesnakes and scorpions and saw toothed tigers? The mind with which the Moneron set out either did not see its goal or did not know its way to the goal, but struggled (Continued on Page 5.)

The Very Pulse!

THE PULSE OF THE WORLD

By Major Ed. Kelly, Critic

Of course you all read last week's Critic and saw where our old friend, the Major had established an Automatic Intelligence Service to send him news from all parts of the world. We don't know what prevented the Major from announcing our acceptance of a special correspondent's job. We suppose he was thinking of his reputation.

We'll be leaving soon, if the shroffs don't hear of it, and then on one bright Saturday, you may expect to see blazoned from yellow posters something like this:

THE CRITIC

EDWARD KELLY IN CUBA

Feeling the Nation's Pulse.

The story, on Page 4, will read something like this:

Havana, Oct. 31.

We have arrived.

Your special correspondent was taken, screaming and kicking from the Queen of Bermuda this morning and is now at the National Hotel. Already he has a keen grasp of the political situation on the island.

Shouts of "Via Kellito" and other Spanish expressions rose from the throats of thousands as we walked between a guard of honour of ex-presidents from the Hotel National to the Hotel Grand National on the other side of the street.

THE LOWDOWN.

The low down on the story is this. Cuba planned those riots to induce the American Navy to come to Havana. The Cabaret business was doing badly there and half the pubs were going broke. The American Navy was able to keep things going for a while before we arrived, but the hotel business is now flourishing and the Navy has been told to leave at any time—A Kelly Special (Gin and Ginger.) And, with the speed of light;—

VIENNA PUZZLE

Who Shot Dollfuss? Why, When, And Where?

Vienna, Dec. 4.

This morning we arrived in Austria and met the Chancellor, Dr. Dollfuss.

"Hallo, Fuzzy, old boy" we said clapping him on the shoulder. He winced.

"Don't do that, Kelly" he said. "A bullet hit me there yesterday."

"Good Heavens," we cried. "Did someone try to assassinate you?"

"No, No" he said. "A young fellow wearing a brown shirt and muttering mystic words like 'Hall Hitler' took a shot at me. The fellow had mistaken me for someone else, so we let him go."

Since interviewing Dr. Dollfuss we have made a number of inquiries and there is a grave suspicion that another Power had something to do with the attempted assassination. So far, we have been unable to ascertain the name of the other Power.—A Kelly Super Special.

FALSE ALARM

Sometime in 1934 we expect to go to Shanghai for another undeclared war and then we may send something like this:

Shanghai, Sept. 18, 3 p.m.

From behind Chapel, smoke is rising and grave fears are felt in the city that a fire had started there.

Later.

The smoke is still rising.

Still Later.

There was no fire after all. Someone had left the door of an opium divan open.—Kelly.

But it won't all be like that. We shall be telling the most stirring stories of the conflict, always remembering to probe into the deeper significance of each move. We shall be the most Automatic Intelligence Service in the World. You will get your money back if the machine doesn't work.

Next Week: Abyssinia.



"That's twice teacher has been tardy this week."

FOR THE LOVE OF A GIRL

MEN FIGHT WITH AXES & KNIVES

FOUR KILLED

Belgrade.

A pitched battle with axes and knives in which four were killed, fifteen gravely injured, and scores wounded, had taken place in Bosnia. It was to determine who should marry a village beauty of the Banja Luka district, named Mara Kap.

When the beautiful Mara Kap leaped from her window and, knife in hand, ran to her lover Vasa shouting "I am yours," she started one of the most bloody affrays Bosnia has known since the Great War.

Richest of the girls of the Banja Luka district, this 17-years-old beauty had already been the innocent cause of much bloodshed. All the young men of seven villages wanted to marry her. But she herself wanted only Vasa Radokovitch, a poor but strikingly handsome young widower.

Her parents refused to consent to this match and found her a rich young farmer, Dragomir Privitch, from a different village. When the day came for the betrothal, Mara publicly refused Dragomir, saying she would marry Vasa or no one.

MARA TO THE RESCUE.

Dragomir then collected a band of some 50 young friends, all armed with axes, knives, stakes and agricultural implements, and set out to attack his rival. But Mara heard of this and running by field paths warned Vasa.

Vasa also gathered a large group of friends, armed hastily and marched to Mara's house. The rival "armies" met before the girl's house. After a parley it was decided that Mara should be asked to decide which of the men she should marry. Just then Mara appeared at the window, a butcher's knife in her hand. When asked to choose she jumped from the window, ran to Vasa and putting herself at his side shouted proudly "I am yours."

The enraged Dragomir then charged with his fifty men. Mara stood aside by side with Vasa, trying to shield him from blows and using her knife with good effect. The battle raged for half-an-hour before a patrol of gendarmes arrived and separated the combatants.

MORTALLY WOUNDED.

Vasa was found to be mortally wounded, with axe wounds on the head and back, three of his friends are on the point of death, 15 youths are in hospital with severe injuries and dozens of others are hiding their wounds in their own houses for fear of arrest. Mara was almost the only combatant uninjured.

When Mara heard that Vasa would die she tried to hang herself. Found in time, she tried later to cut her throat—but only wounded herself badly.

She swears, however, that at all costs she will not marry Dragomir, who was seriously but not fatally injured, and will kill him and herself if her parents insist on trying to make her do so.—Reuter.

ADOLPH IS NOW SATISFIED

PAYS \$5,000 FOR WIFE'S CLAIMS

Los Angeles, California.

A complete settlement for \$5,000 (\$1,000 at par) of all claims by his wife, Kathryn Carver, in her recent petition for divorce has been approved by Adolph Menjou, the "great lover" of the screen.

The settlement was made at a conference of attorneys representing Miss Carver and Mr. Menjou. The \$5,000 is in addition to \$150,000 (\$30,000) which Mr. Menjou gave Miss Carver in cash and securities last November.

In return for the settlement, Miss Carver agreed to file an amended divorce complaint, eliminating all mention of another woman and merely charging cruelty. She charged in her first complaint that Menjou was too attentive to a New York stage actress.

"I will let the suit go by default," Menjou said. "I do not want to indulge in any recrimination or to bring about unpleasant publicity."—Reuter.

SERIOUS CHARGE

TWO MEN ACCUSED OF MANSLAUGHTER

Lower Court proceedings were commenced before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon against two men, Tsan Wu-tai and Liu Chun, who were charged with manslaughter as a result of a street fight in Hunghom on September 20.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the prosecution, with Detective Inspector Chester Woods in charge of investigations.

It was alleged that about 10.45 p.m. on that date Liu Chun, the second defendant, living in Ha Heung Street, alleged he saw a man stealing taro-roots from a garden nearby. He raised the alarm, and several men set upon the alleged thief.

An eye-witness of the assault would say that the two defendants were among four men who made the attack. The first defendant was alleged to have used an iron drill while the second defendant used his fists.

When a policeman came upon the scene, the four men bolted. The assaulted man, it was stated, got up and also ran away, but he had only gone about 30 yards when he collapsed, and later died. Shek Choi, a boiler maker, said that on the night in question he went out for some tea together with a friend named Wong Po. They left the tea-house about 10.20 p.m. and walked back towards Ha Heung Street. When he got there, he saw four men attacking another at the other end of the street. They were holding him up and beating him. He recognised the four men as Tsang Wu-tai, Tsang Wu-shing, Lui Chun and Leung Ting.

Tsang Wu-tai and Tsang Wu-shing had iron drills in their hands, but the other two were empty-handed.

A policeman came along and the four men bolted. The assaulted man got up and ran away, but collapse after running a few yards. Witness stated that there was a lamp in the street at the time, and he could recognise the four men. The hearing was adjourned until this afternoon.

ARTIFICIAL BLOOD FOR CATS

KEEPS FELINES ALIVE

Knoxville, Tennessee.

Artificial blood made from cows has kept cats alive at the University of Tennessee.

This artificial blood has no corpuscles, the little packets holding the red materials of blood. Heretofore it had been believed that corpuscles are indispensable for the respiration of vertebrate animals. The Tennessee experiments disprove this.

Results of the experiments have just been announced in the magazine "Science." The artificial blood was made of the hemoglobin, the red substance, taken from cows blood and mixed with ring solution, a liquid containing mineral salts.

Cats which had lost virtually all their own blood received the artificial blood. The report states that there were virtually no corpuscles left in the tiny residue of the cats' natural blood.

"These cats," says the report, "are able to walk, run, see and hear. They are able to jump to the floor from a considerable height, judge distances correctly and make their way about in a normal manner."

"All postural and equilibrium reflexes appear to be normal. When dropped upside down they land on their feet. Respiratory rates are, however, higher in these animals than normal. The show a marked tendency to sleep, but are easily aroused and may become quite active for a brief period."

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"THINKING IS THE HARDEST WORK THERE IS, WHICH IS THE PROBABLE REASON WHY SO FEW ENGAGE IN IT."—Henry Ford.

One case of diphtheria and one of typhoid (imported), were reported to the local health authorities on Wednesday.

The St. John Ambulance Brigade, New Territories Branch, issues the following return of cases treated during September—Cheung Chau 2,000, Tsan Wan 1,333, Shataukok 1,250, Fanling 1,803, Kam Tin 1,052, San Tin 993, Salkung 931, Shatin 904, and Ha Tsun 904; making a total of 11,345. The Salkung station has now been in operation for a full month. It is hoped to place a nurse in the Takara Leung area within the next fortnight.

THE CESAREWITCH.

Call-Over For Big Newmarket Race.

GUISCARD FAVOURED.

London, Oct. 5. The call-over for the Cesarewitch found Guiscard favoured today at 7/1, with Ximenes second best. The following is the list: 7/1 Guiscard (t. and o.) 10/1 Ximenes (t. and o.) 12/1 Nitschke (t. and o.) 100/8 Negro (t. and o.) 20/1 Loecatrice (t. and o.) 25/1 Slatesmen (t. and o.) 20/1 Bandals (t. and o.) 22/1 Beaufre (t. and o.) 25/1 Bel de Paris (t. and o.) 28/1 Dick Turpin (t. and o.) 33/1 Lucky Patch (t. and o.) 33/1 Sanguine (t. and o.) 40/1 Sanity (t. and o.) 40/1 Eugene (t. and o.) 40/1 Erain (t. and o.) 45/1 Chelmarsh (t. and o.) 50/1 Blanderna (t. and o.) 50/1 Semble (t. and o.) 50/1 Within-the-law (t. and o.) 50/1 Fox-cath (t. and o.) 50/1 Serum (t. and o.) 50/1 Trustee (t. and o.) 60/1 Boldero (t. and o.) 60/1 Dayot (t. and o.)—Reuter.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY.

Hongkong Ladies Practice At Sookunpoo.

A GOOD SHOWING.

Hongkong Ladies held their first practice of the season at Sookunpoo yesterday and made quite a good showing. A scratch eight-side game was played under the instruction of Mr. P. J. Barlow, this year's coach.

The Club has several new players this year and with a little more practice will be fielding a strong side. There was very little brilliant play, and the absence of players in three positions made the game difficult. Mrs. Thorpe was good at back, being quick and accurate in hitting. Miss Barlow who played centre forward for one of the teams was outstanding, as also was Miss Wallace who was one of the right halves. Another practice will be held on Saturday.

Ladies' Practice.

The St. Andrew's Club Ladies had their first practice match of the season yesterday afternoon on the Marina ground. They were opposed to a scratch St. Andrew's Club and K.I.T.C. men's eleven. The game resulted in a draw of one goal each. Miss M. Woolley netted for the ladies.

SALE OF PROPERTY.

MORTGAGED PREMISES BOUGHT AT AUCTION

"I have never put up property at such a ridiculously low price," said Mr. L. Lammert, the auctioneer, as he opened a sale of real estate at \$1,000, at his auction rooms yesterday. Intending investors who thought they were going to get a bargain were quickly undeceived, for the very first bid carried the figure forward to \$5,000.

Thereafter, about four competitors came in, and between them they managed to make it \$5,100 before it was knocked down to a Chinese named Chow Yang.

The property, comprising a fraction of over 1,400 sq. ft. in a two-story Chinese tenement at Kowloon Bay, and is known as No. 5 Cheung On Street. It came into the market through foreclosure of a mortgage.

In the sale, Messrs. Russ & Co. acted for the vendors.

only to lapse into sleep again rather suddenly."

These cats ultimately die. But the reason is not that the red hemoglobin of their artificial blood fails to carry on its respiratory work of delivering oxygen to the body cells.

Instead the deaths come from the red material escaping from the "blood" because it has no covering, such as the corpuscles furnish, to keep it from getting out of the veins and arteries into other parts of the body.—Reuter.

SCHOOL AQUATICS.

Excellent Sport By Boys Of King's College.

CLOSE COMPETITION.

The annual swimming sports of King's College were held yesterday afternoon in the College bath, and excellent swimming was witnessed. The enthusiasm shown by the competitors as well as the spectators contributed much to the success of the occasion. Close finishes were the order, especially in the events open to the smaller boys, who vied with their elders in giving of their best.

The programme was quite a long one, and was divided into three groups, with individual championships in each section.

The prizes will be distributed at a later date, after the arrival of the four representatives which the College has sent to the Nanking sports meeting.

THE RESULTS.

The results of yesterday's contests were as follows:

Group A. Three lengths free style.—1, Lau Po-hei. 2, Lau Po-tung. 3, Heung Lu-nuen.

Four lengths breast stroke.—1, Kung Yim-chick. 2, Ma Tat-tung. 3, Lin Se-tan.

Eight lengths free style.—1, Lau Po-hei. 2, Cheung Tam-woon. 3, Heung Lu-nuen.

Three lengths back stroke.—1, Lau Po-hei. 2, Wu Hei-tak. 3, Ng Cheung-fai.

Diving.—1, Cheung Tam-woon. 2, Sin Kin-leung. 3, Lam On-ping.

Three lengths.—1, Lau Po-hei. 2, Wong On-chi. 3, Wu Hei-tak.

Interclass Relay.—1, A. Individual Championship.—Lau Po-hei.

Group B. Three lengths free style.—1, Sam Ka-mong. 2, Chau Wing-chin. 3, Ting Siu-sang.

Two lengths breast stroke.—1, Ting Siu-sang. 2, Ma Yat-kwong. 3, Cheung Yung-wa.

Four lengths.—1, Lau Po-hei. 2, Wu Hei-tak. 3, Chi Shung-ye.

Interclass Relay.—1, B. Individual Championship.—Sam Ka-mong.

Group C. Two lengths free style.—1, Lam Ka-cheung. 2, Chan Shin-tak. 3, Wong Ho-wa.

Two lengths breast stroke.—1, Lau Kai-ming. 2, So Chup-wing. 3, Chan Shin-tak.

Four lengths free style.—1, Lam Ka-cheung. 2, Lau Kai-ming. 3, Ho Hon.

Diving for Plates.—1, Yue Wing-sam. 2, Chan Yuk-lam. 3, Shi Man-leung.

Inter Class Relay.—1, 7A. Individual Championship Lam Ka-cheung.

Beginners' Race. Two Lengths Free Style.—1, Chan Siu-kai. 2, Lau Chak-wing. 3, Wong Tai-man.

One Length Breast Stroke.—1, Lau Chak-wing. 2, Wong Tai-man. 3, Chin Sin-kai.

Six Lengths Scout Race.—1, Leung Nui-sang. 2, Wong Shiu-cheung. 3, Sin Chi-wing.

Ambulant Race.—1, Na Yat-kwong. 2, Leung Kok-chun. 3, Lau Ye-hon.

SURPRISE TEAM OF THE YEAR

(Continued from Page 8.)

they are keen, and the forwards especially have a fine burst of speed. The team which beat the Club was composed as follows:

Feroz Ali, Matab Ali, Lieut. Herbert, Sarza Khan, Lieut. Ravenhill, Sirdar Khan, Gny. Khuda Bux, Kishen Singh, Aya Singh, Dost Mohamed and L/N Khuda Bux. If they field the same eleven during the season there will be few victories chalked up against them.

EXCHANGE RATES.

	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Paris	78.23/32	78 3/4
Geneva	15.89	15.94
Berlin	12.93 1/2	12.98 1/2
Hamburg	22 1/2	22 3/4
Oslo	19.90	19.90
Athens	5.60	5.55
Milan	58.11/10	58 1/2
Buenos Aires	45 1/4	45 1/2
Shanghai	13.7/16	13.7/16
New York	4.76 1/2	4.74 1/2
Amsterdam	1.03 1/4	1.03 1/4
Vienna	2.2 1/2	2 1/4
Frankfurt	30.27/32	30.16/16
Bucharest	52 1/2	52 1/2
Hongkong	1/5 1/4	1/5 1/4
Brussels	22.10	22.14 1/2
Stockholm	19.40	19.40
Lisbon	102	102 1/2
Bombay	1/6.5/64	1/6.5/64
Yokohama	1/2.3/16	1/2.3/16
Montevideo	37	37
Montreal	4.8 1/4	4.8 1/4
Silver (spot)	18.5/16	18 1/2
Silver (forward)	18.7/16	18 1/2
War Loan	101 1/4	101 1/4

—British Wireless.

RADIO BROADCAST

S.S. CORFU BAND FROM THE STUDIO

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European programme.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.3-8 p.m. Variety.

Orchestra—A Night at the Hungaria. Colombo with the Talcane Orchestra. DB872.

Vocal Duet—The New Moon—Lover. Comp. Back to Me. Vocal Duet—The Wedding of the Painted Doll. Layton and Johnstone. 5402.

Orchestra—Putting the Clock Back. J. H. Squire Celeste Octet. DX68.

Vocal—Australian Yodel. Vocal—Highland Yodel. Harry Tennant. MR040.

Band—Soldiers of the King. Band—Soldiers in the Park. B. B. C. Wireless Military Band. DB078.

Humorous Sketch—The Royal and Ancient Game. Clapham and Dwyer. DB670.

Orchestra—The Land of Smiles—You Are My Heart's Delight. Orchestra—The Land of Smiles—Faintly Smiling. Albert Sandler and His Orchestra. DB628.

Song—Only my Song. Song—Her Name is Mary. Charles Kullman (Tenor). DB1000.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 8.3-8.50 p.m. Orchestra. Menhiste Valse (Liszt).

Orchestra of the Brussels Royal Conservatoire. DX110.

In a Chinese Temple Garden (Kotelbey). Albert W. Kotelbey's Concert Orchestra. 9859.

Die Melodischer—Overture (Wagner). Bruno Walter and Symphony Orchestra. DX86.

8.30-9 p.m. Concert Items. Octet—Scene de Ballet (de Beriot, arr. Scar).

Octet—Second Movement from "Symphonie Pathétique" (Tchaikowsky). J. H. Squire Celeste Octet. 9825.

Song—My Dearest Heart (Sullivan). Song—A Summer Night (Marzials and George Thomas).

Deria Vana (Soprano). DX71. Violin Solo—Serenade—Millions (Woodhouse).

Violin Solo—Serenade (Schubert). Albert Sandler. DB668.

Song—Carrying On (Bury and Kings). Song—Old Father Thames (Wallace and O'Hagan).

9-10 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by The S.S. Corfu Band conducted by Bandmaster A. H. Guyatt.

Programme. 1. March—Great Little Army (Alford).

2. Selection—Merry Widow (Lehar).

3. Suite—Indian Love Lyrics (Wood-Tinden).

4. Violin Solo—Solveig's Song (Grieg).

5. Fox Trot—Stormy Weather.

6. Tango—Just One More Dance.

7. Fox Trot—Have You Ever Been Lonely.

8. Fox Trot—Darkness on the Delta.

10-10.30 p.m. A relay from Daventry of Eugene Fini and His Tango Orchestra. Olga Alexova (Soprano). Should reception prove satisfactory this relay will be continued to 11 p.m.

10.30-11 p.m. Close Down. All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

LEASE OF OYSTER BED.

A THRIVING INDUSTRY IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

A native of the New Territories, one Tang Chuan-yun, has rented a portion of the sea-bed at Yung Long Bay, near Lungku Tan, for the rearing and breeding of oysters.

The bed, with an area of 4.83 acres, was yesterday put up for bids in the District Office, Taiipo, and was secured by Tang, who has entered into a 21-year lease with a Crown rental fixed at \$25.50.

Government fostering of this thriving industry in the New Territories is embodied in a special condition attached to the agreement, stipulating that the bed is to be used solely for the purpose of oyster cultivation.

SPORTING PEER DIES IN LONDON.

VISCOUNT COWDRAY.

London, Oct. 5.

Viscount Cowdray, of Midhurst, died to-day at the age of 51.—Reuter.

Lord Cowdray was the second Viscount of Midhurst. He was a prominent parliamentarian and contested the Rutland seat in the Liberal interests in 1906, from 1906 to 1918 he was the Member of Parliament for Eye.

A keen huntsman, Lord Cowdray was joint Master of the Cowdray Hounds.

The heir to the title is his only son, the Hon. Weetman John Churchill Pearson.

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SHANGHAI FIND THEIR FORM

AND REVEAL A SECRET

THEIR LOVE FOR A FAST GREEN

The Hongkong lawn bowls Interport teams were given fair warning yesterday by the Shanghai men as to what is likely to happen during the next week.

Shanghai proved beyond all doubt that they thrive on a fast green. To them it is all the difference between victory and defeat, which is why they will be anxiously watching weather signs from now on.

It was a great performance to beat Kowloon at the Bowling Green Club yesterday, and made all the more impressive by reason that it called for a big recovery on the part of the visitors.

INFERIORITY COMPLEX.

They started as though a depressing inferiority complex and seized them. Outplayed on the first half a dozen ends, they found themselves 7-2 in arrears.

After that they got into their stride. Howling well by a man, with Charlie Richards in especially fine form at skip, they secured a single, a three and then a four in succession to take the lead, which they did not again lose.

As Shanghai tightened their grip on the game Kowloon bowlers became more and more erratic, and in the end Shanghai were completely on top.

The detailed scores were:

Shanghai.	Kowloon.			
J. M. C. Lopes	E. C. Fincher			
J. M. P. Remedios	F. X. M. Silva			
A. A. Mulcahy	R. Lapsley			
C. Richards (skip)	H. Nish (skip)			
End	Shots	Total	Shots	Total
1	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2
3	4	4	1	1
4	4	4	1	1
5	6	6	2	2
6	7	7	2	2
7	1	1	3	3
8	3	3	6	6
9	4	4	10	10
10	1	1	7	7
11	1	1	11	11
12	3	3	14	14
13	2	2	14	14
14	2	2	16	16
15	1	1	17	17
16	1	1	17	17
17	2	2	17	17
18	2	2	19	19
19	1	1	20	20
20	1	1	20	20
21	2	2	22	22

ANOTHER NEW RINK

Shanghai's Team For To-day

Mr. T. G. Main, manager and skipper of the Shanghai team has made several alterations in the composition of the rink to meet the K.C.C. to-day, so that which yesterday defeated Kowloon.

J. M. C. Lopes and J. M. P. Remedios drop out, bringing in T. Main and Bailey.

C. Richards, who so successfully skipped the side yesterday has been entrusted with the same task to-day, suggesting that he will occupy this position for the first Interport match.

Mr. Main this morning stated that he had made no decision as to the composition of the Interport rink and it is not likely that he will do so until after this afternoon's game.

The rinks will be:

SHANGHAI.

A. Mulcahy
T. G. Main
W. A. Bailey
C. Richards (skip)

KOWLOON CRICKET CLUB.

H. Hampton
J. A. Howe
F. Goodwin
A. E. Silkestone (skip)

F.A. ALTER RULES

C.I.A.A.F. STILL IN THE DARK

TUESDAY'S GAME IN DANGER

WHOLE POSITION REVEALED

(By "Veritas").

That the Governor's Cup match should no longer be an annual fixture between the Hongkong Football Association and the Chinese International Amateur Athletic Federation was the decision reached at a meeting of the F.A. Council on Monday evening.

Instead it shall be a match between the Chinese and Non-Chinese teams, the former to be selected by the two senior Chinese clubs and the latter by the Council of the Football Association.

On the face of it this appears to be quite a reasonable proposition, but unfortunately I fear there has been some misunderstanding and there is a distinct danger of a hitch.

At the time of writing it is not known whether there will be a Chinese team to take the field next Tuesday, or if there be such a team, what strength it will be; whether it will be a combination of the Chinese Athletic and remnants of the South China senior team, a purely Athletic combination, or a wholly (but very weak) South China eleven.

F. A. POSITION.

The position of the Association is this: Having had it pointed out that the Athletic, being non-members of the Federation were barred from representation in the team if the match continued under its existing status of F.A. versus the C.I.A.A.F., and further, that the Athletic this year had players worthy to appear in the Governor's Cup match, the Council agreed that it was desirable for the conditions of the fixture to be slightly altered.

Last year, no rules were definitely formulated, but the C.I.A.A.F. and the Association agreed that the match should be an annual fixture between their representative teams.

However, in the presence of Mr. J.D. Bush, representing South China and Mr. Lee of the Athletic, it was decided last Monday to alter this on the lines stated in the opening paragraph. It was further agreed that South China and the Council should be responsible for naming the Non-Chinese eleven.

SOUTH CHINA'S CASE.

The position of South China is somewhat different according to a statement made to me by Mr. Mok Hing.

They claim that they were asked, as representatives of the C.I.A.A.F. to turn out a team to meet the F.A. on Tuesday, but replied that it was impossible to do so in view of the departure of so many of their players for Nanking. They suggested that the date of the match be put back for the return of these players.

The C.I.A.A.F. they further contend, have not been officially notified of the alterations to the rules of the competition.

This, I think, is undisputed, although it is pointed out that a representative of the Federation was present at the meeting last Monday and agreed to the changes.

Up to yesterday South China had not been approached by the Athletic in regard to the selection of the team.

The Athletic, I know, are prepared to field the whole of their team for the match, but it is inconceivable that South China can be ignored to that measure.

The Association have laid down definitely that the match must be played on Tuesday, and it is to be hoped that injured feelings, if any, will be laid aside so that the fixture may be fulfilled.

HOCKEY THIS AFTERNOON

The following will represent St. Andrew's in a hockey match against H.M.S. Tamar on the Naval Ground, King's Park, this afternoon, at 5 p.m.

R.H. Wong; A.B. Hamson and F.V. Wong; E. McNider, A.E.P. Guest and F. Broadbridge; E.H.P. White, J.T.K. Gilchrist, N.A.E. Mackay, E.F. Fincher and M. Weill.



The Australian Rugby team, now in England, giving their war cry before starting one of their matches. (Planet-News).

MELODY & WARRINGTON FOR VALLEY

CLEVER WIN BY C.B.A.

BORDERERS WELL BEATEN

BRILLIANT FORM BY BICKFORD

On the form displayed yesterday afternoon, when they defeated the strong South Wales Borderers regimental hockey eleven, the Central British Association should enjoy a really good season in the Mamak Hockey Tournament.

Their third consecutive victory this season, the C.B.A. are meeting the Club senior team on the 23rd. of this month, and much interest will be centred on the game. Pole, at back, and Johnson in the forward line, who yesterday played for their regiment, will in all probability be appearing in that match.

"Bunny" Bickford can safely be referred to as one of the safest full backs in the Colony. At right back yesterday, he was more than brilliant, saving dangerous attacks time and again, with a good eye and marked coolness of head. Stanley MacNider, at left back, once more displayed that he is primarily a defender. He gave Bickford line support. George Moss kept a good goal, and indeed is probably the best hockey custodian in the Mamak Tournament, although Dick Wong, the Saints' goalkeeper, has to be remembered.

FROM TENNIS TO HOCKEY.

F. W. R. Allen, at right half-back, is daily proving himself to be a definite acquisition to the civilian side. In the forward line, he was a hard job yesterday. He worked hard but appeared to tire a little towards the last stages of the game.

Tom Whitley's untiring tackling when beaten, is an inspiration in the forward line. His goal scored just before the final whistle, was a fine effort.

Alford, former Army centre-half playing at left half-back was not seen at his best. He had just completed an afternoon of tennis before the match. Norman Whitley, at centre-half, played an unflagging game.

Of the Borderers' defence, Pole was as steady as a rock. At centre-half Crosswell, the S.W.B. skipper, was equally steady and fed his forwards well. In the forward line, Johnson was a frequent offender against the offside rule. Johnson is inclined to keep to the ball too much. Jones, on the right wing, was responsible for some useful sprints but on more than one occasion he lost the ball. Tyler, at inside-right, played a forcing game and was a source of danger when in the dec.

The civilians' goals were netted by Francis, King and T. Whitley, while George scored for the Borderers. The score at the intervals was one-all.

Teams:
C.B.A.—G. Moss; B. I. Bickford, S. MacNider; F. W. R. Allen, N. B. Whitley; Alford; E. MacNider, T. S. D. Whitley, C. C. Francis, W. H. G. Hirst, J. J. King.

S.W.B.—Motherwell; Watts, Pole; Suter; Lieut. Crosswell, O'Brien; L/O (85) Jones; Lieut. Tyler, George, Johnson, Duttall.

Umpires—Lieut. Miller and G. Gurevitch.

RUGBY UNION

London, Oct. 5.
Hants accomplished an excellent performance to-day when they visited Bath and defeated Somerset by six points to three in a rugby union match.—*Reuter*.

DOUBLE

GOOD PROGRAMME TO-MORROW

SOME LIKELY WINNERS

[By "Ringtail"]

To-morrow will see the second meeting of the autumn racing season at the Happy Valley, a card of eight events having been prepared, including the popular double, which this time is marked for the second and fifth events.

King's Bounty is bound to start well favoured in the first race, but can expect some useful opposition from Champagne Bay, The Tiger (with Mr. Frost up), Blue Star, Pride of Taiyang and Royal Flush, which is in at the light weight of 155 pounds.

MELODY A GOOD BET.

The first leg of the double appears easy to pick, and unless some startling reversal of form is seen, Melody should take this event.

Woodland Stag seems to have only Portia as a contestant in the third race, but these two ponies should give first class performances and provide one of the best events of the afternoon.

Trentbridge is under a cloud and it is unlikely that it will turn out for the fifth race. In which case the Dynasty stables will probably be represented by King's Justice. Sadko looks a very good thing here and is sure to make a bold display.

WARRINGTON.

I like the look of Warrington for the second leg of the double, but unlike Melody, it will probably meet with strong opposition from National Day, Burgomaster, Now is the Time. All of these ponies are carrying the same weight, a significant fact.

Flying Tourist, with a new jockey will try to emulate his success of the last meeting, but Wakefield is a danger, and Alexander Hall, Solar Star and Mike cannot be ignored.

The seventh race offers little help to punters, but Cavalier looks the best of a rather unhappy crowd.

With the exception of Ajax and Powerful King, most of the ponies in the last race are sprinters. This event is over a distance of a mile and a quarter, which suggests that Ajax and Powerful King will have the race pretty well to themselves. Adam may possibly stand a chance if either of these two ponies reveal lack of form.

INTERPORT SWIM.

Local Y.M.C.A. To Lend Three Men To Shanghai.

The Shanghai Foreign Y.M.C.A. Swimming Team have asked the European Y.M.C.A. Kowloon, to lend them three men to help them make up

MAMAK HOCKEY FIXTURES

NEXT WEEK'S LIST

FRIENDLY GAMES ARRANGED

MAMAK TOURNAMENT

OCTOBER 8

K.I.T.C. v H. K. Mule Corps, Marina, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 9

9th (A.A.) Battery v United Hockey Club, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 10

C.B.A. v R.A.M.C.
St. Andrew's v German Club, Marina, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 11

H.K. Mule Corps v Royal Signals, Marina, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 13

H.K. Mule Corps v Royal Engineers, U.S.R.C., b.o. 4.30 p.m.

FRIENDLIES

TO-DAY

Radio v Hongkong Hockey Club
"A" Caroline Hill, b.o. 5 p.m.
R.A.S.C. v H.K. Mule Corps, Marina, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 7

Radio v German Club, Caroline Hill, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

The Radio team will be:—Man Singh; P. Singh, J. S. Grewal; Jaggeet Singh, M. H. Hassan, Mohinder Singh; Prem Singh, G. Singh, Awtar Singh, Kalwant Singh, F. A. Kemp (Captain). Reserve:—Attar Singh.

OCTOBER 9

Radio v Royal Engineers, Caroline Hill, b.o. 5 p.m.

The Radio team will be:—Man Singh; P. Singh, J. S. Grewal; Jaggeet Singh, M. H. Hassan, Mohinder Singh; Prem Singh, G. Singh, Awtar Singh, Kalwant Singh, F. A. Kemp (Captain). Reserve:—Attar Singh.

Lincoln v R.A.S.C., Shamshulpo, b.o. 4.15 p.m.

OCTOBER 11

R.A.S.C. v 12th Battery R.A., U.S.R.C., b.o. 4 p.m.

Jat Regiment v Radio, Marina, b.o. 5 p.m.

The Radio team will be:—Man Singh; P. Singh, J. S. Grewal; Jaggeet Singh, M. H. Hassan, Mohinder Singh; Prem Singh, G. Singh, Awtar Singh, Kalwant Singh, F. A. Kemp (Captain). Reserve:—Attar Singh.

OCTOBER 12

St. Andrew's v University, Marina, b.o. 5.15 p.m.

A Water Polo team for an exhibition game versus the V.R.C. on Monday October 9.

The Council of the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association has agreed to allow these three Y.M.C.A. members to take part in the game.

WRIGHT TO PLAY

NAVY UNKNOWN FORCE

TIMBERLAKE IN KOWLOON XI

NEW LINE-UP IN R.A. ATTACK

(By "Veritas").

Last week's matches provided a splendid appetit for the good dishes which are promised to be served up this football season.

They gave a 70 minutes revelation of the likely "Who's Who" of the league this winter, and as a result we can clearly indicate which is to be THE match of to-morrow.

It is scheduled for the Happy Valley and will see the Club and the Navy in opposition.

True they have no idea as to what they are up against, for the Navy seniors have not yet been seen in action this season.

The Club, can, I feel sure, reasonably expect somewhat stiffer opposition to that of last week, but with that confidence which is unfailingly born of success, should be able to meet it more than half way.

ONE CHANGE.

Only one change has been made in the team. Charles Wright, having fully recovered, will make his debut in local league football at centre-half. L. G. Robertson, who gave such an impressive display last Saturday is displaced by Skinner, who is a more effective wing half than pivot.

Although I feel that on last week's showing Robertson is to be preferred to Skinner, the Club are wise in their decision, in so far as Robertson will shortly be claimed for rugby, and to put him regularly into the team now would only mean disorganisation later when he adopts the sister code.

ALLAN RETURNS.

After their experience against the Club, the Artillery have effected alterations in the team to meet Kowloon.

Allan has sensibly been replaced in his lawful position at right back and this will considerably strengthen the defence.

Edmunds, last week's leader of the attack has been dropped, and with the introduction of Barracough from the reserves, a complete readjustment of the forward line has been made. Barracough is on the right wing with Smith as his partner. Walker, who at inside left scored both goals last Saturday is entrusted with the leadership, bringing in Greenfields to partner Seal on the left wing.

On paper, at any rate, this is a much better looking vanguard, and I think there is more goals in it.

TIMBERLAKE BACK.

Kowloon have an interesting line up. The defence remains intact, which in view of their bad display last week is sensible.

Up forward, however, there are two changes.

The White brothers giving place to Timberlake and W. Lewis, both naval men, who have splendid reputations.

Timberlake is no stranger to the Railway Ground, whereas Lewis is an entirely newcomer.

Their inclusion should do much to supply that zest in the forward line necessary to score goals. Timberlake, if he has lost none of his former prowess, is certainly a goal getter, and with Elliott and Lewis, should constitute one of the most dangerous inside trios in the League.

SOME OF THE TEAMS

Many Re-Arranged Combinations

The following are some of the teams taking part in the week-end league football programme.

Club:—Fogwill; Hynes and Strange; Skinner, Wright, and A. Duncan; G. Fowler, Dominy, Howe, E. Strange and Bickford.

Kowloon:—Cord; Hill and Willis; Whitfield, Jones and Bliss; C. Davies, W. Lewis, Elliott, Timberlake, and Blake.

Reserve:—A.W. McGrann; R. Silva-Netto and G. Gutierrez; J. Bowen, W. Maher, and C. Figueroa; A. Ribeiro, J.C. Santos, H.T. Sousa, N. Delgado and T. Castilho.

R. Artillery:—Comber; Allan and Wroe; Rodgers, Pardee and Collier; Barracough, Smith, Walker, Greenfields and Seal.

R.A. Reserves:—Wood; Gibbons and Stevens; Snook, Scott, Birmingham, Leach and Hill.

Kowloon Reserves:—Videro; Everest and Wynch; Hopkins, Oldfield and Tillery; G. White, Webb, Duffield, C. Wynch and P. White.

Reserve Reserves:—A.M. Quinn; L. Castilho and B. Gann; B. Laurel, D. Ayer and D. Aquino; H. Campos; C. Coelho, T. Perola, A.P. Eca Silva, and D. Gill.

THE SENATORS RETALIATE

BLANK OUT GIANTS IN WORLD SERIES.

New York, Oct. 5.
Washington Senators came into their own to-day in the third match of the World Series, when they defeated the New York Giants.

The Senators scored four runs and blanked out the Giants.

As a result the Giants now lead by two matches to one and require to win two of the remaining four for the championship.—*Reuter*.

SURPRISE TEAM OF THE YEAR

SOLIDITY OF C.B.A. HOCKEY XI

STRENGTHENED BY NEWCOMERS

By "Bully-O".

THE C.B.A. runners-up to the Radio Sports Club for Mamak honours in 1931, are intent on making a strong bid for the premier position in the league this year and from what I have seen, they stand a good chance of succeeding. As a team they played little hockey last year but are staging a come-back more formidable in all departments.

THEY opened their tournament season with a fine victory against the Signals, scoring three times without reply and have also recorded a win against the Mule Corps in friendlies and South Wales Borderers.

THEIR defence has been greatly improved by the inclusion of Moss, the former Police goalie and A. Pole, the Army and South Wales Borderers left back. Moss shows good anticipation while Pole, who is partnered by B. I. Bickford plays steady and is to be relied upon in an emergency.

F. W. H. Allen, who was in the Police team last year at right half is also an acquisition. Playing a fast game he feeds his attackers well and is a hard worker.

N. Whitley is in the centre. J. King has been playing at left half but I think the club would do well to put S. MacNider in the intermediate line.

In the game with the Signals he was pushed up into the forward line and although he was instrumental in initiating many good movements, was repeatedly pulled up for being offside. In the second half he went back, King taking the flank, and it was a decided improvement.

THE forwards are a good combination. W.H.G. Hirst, on the right wing, is fast but is inclined to take the ball too far down before centring. This seems to be a common fault with many wingers in Hongkong. T. Whitley is a good inner and partners well with C. C. Francis in the centre. The latter has fallen off somewhat this year, probably due to lack of practice, but I hope to see something good from him after two or three games. Another good capture is W. Johnson.

G. Johnson the S.W.B. inside right. The left wing position is a problem. E. MacNider has been playing there to-date but when R.A. Carroll is fit again after his recent operation for appendicitis he will probably fill the outside left. Carroll has played for St. Andrew's and is a useful man.

THE H.K.S.R.A. have discovered a galaxy of new talent and what a game they played against the Club. Practically all recruits.

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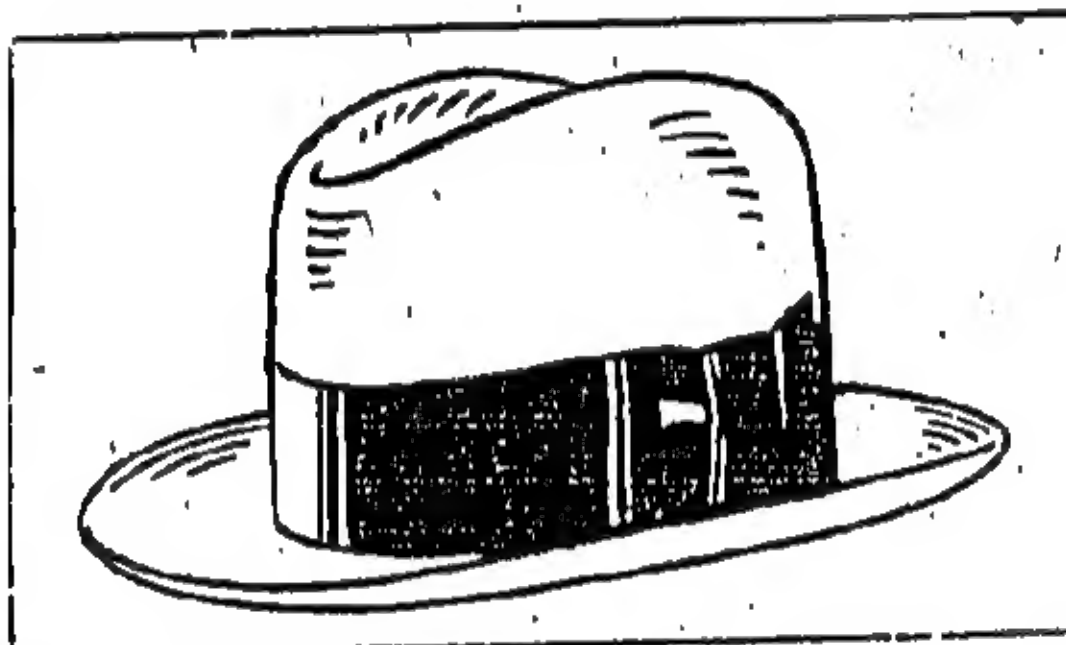
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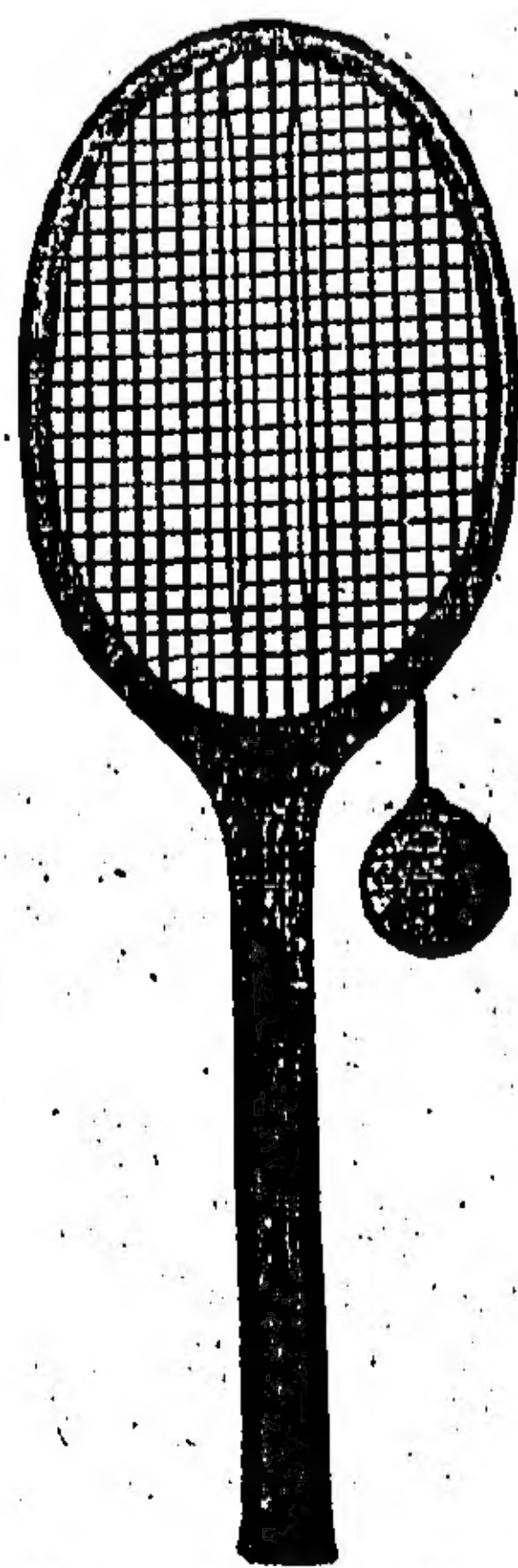
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CHINA NEED FOR REFORM

ADMIRAL SIR HOWARD KELLY'S ADVICE

London, Oct. 5.

Intensive development is taking place in China, declared Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, late Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, when he addressed a gathering in London to-day on Great Britain's interests in the Far East.

He said that China was passing from a state of absolute autocracy to the principles of democracy, for which the people were not prepared.

There could be no hope of a united China until there was some semblance of a common language there, he went on. Settled currency and proper communication were further vital steps towards national solidarity, Admiral Kelly asserted.

Chinese Ministers, he informed his hearers, were not altogether masters in their own house, so to speak; the pressure of public opinion frequently preventing their doing the things of which they themselves approved.

The future of China lay, first, in the securing of security of life, property and capital. It was essential to obtain a settled Government. The only form which at present would suit China, he said, was one on a federation basis, with full autonomy for the provinces and districts. —*Reuter.*

PRESENTATIONS.

POLICE OFFICIALS AT FAREWELL TEA

Presentations of a clock to Sirdar Sahib Mohinder Singh, A.S.P., and an attache case to Mr. Bishen Singh, of the Education Department and formerly of the Police Force, were made at the Gloucester Building yesterday afternoon, at a farewell tea party given in their honour by the Inspector General of Police (Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, C.M.G.) and Superintendents of the Hongkong Police Force. A presentation was also made from the Indian contingent.

The two officers are retiring from the Government service after nearly 34 years' activity.

The Inspector General and Chief Justice Mr. J. H. Wood spoke in eulogistic terms of the splendid work done by Messrs. Mohinder Singh and Bishen Singh, and both wished them happiness and long life in their well-earned retirement.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE TENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 7th October, and on Tuesday, 10th October, 1933, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on both days.

The First Roll will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 per day for Gentlemen and \$3.00 per day for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, etc.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27784), will close at 12 o'clock Noon on both days. Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting. Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box in advance. Telephone 21020.

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One of the features, repaying study, is the close similarity between the plan of reform suggested by this local writer, and certain aspects of the Roosevelt recovery programme. The author's ideas are naturally far too advanced for active promotion at the present time, but they are particularly interesting in view of the fact that President Roosevelt, in striking out on a path of his own, has travelled in the same direction.

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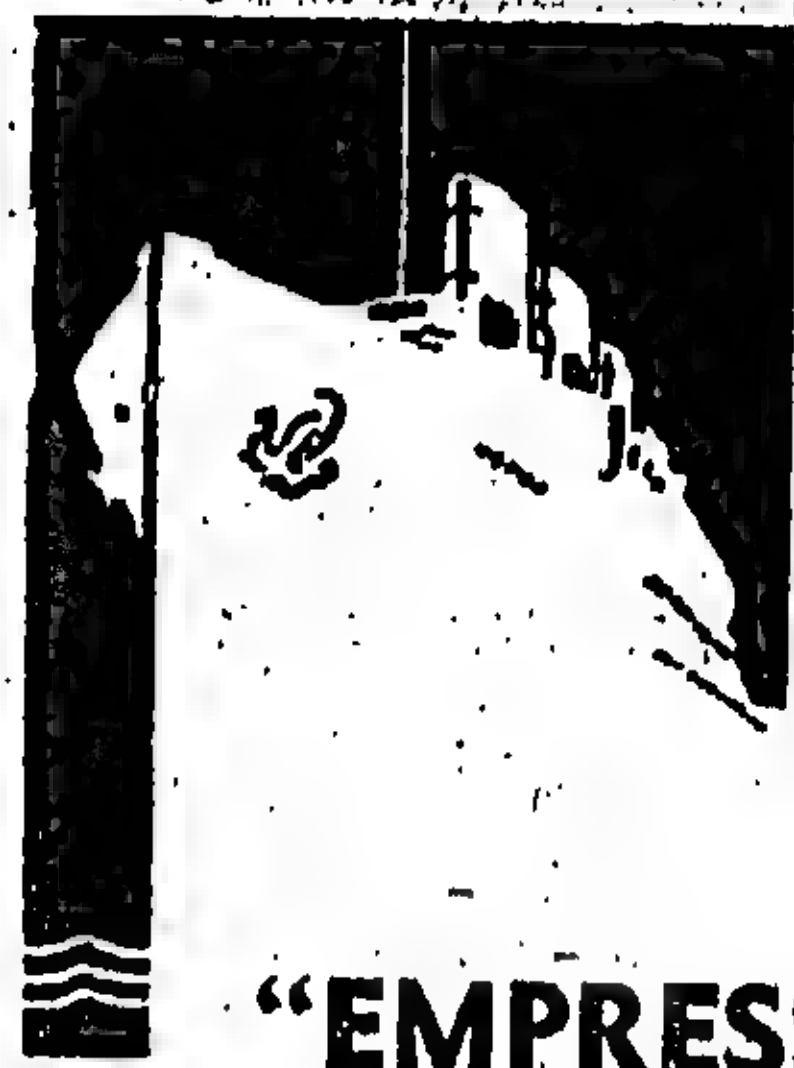
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"King Kong" in the RKO-Radio Picture at the Central Theatre tomorrow, is the ultimate in post-flesh producing terror. The cold glitter of Dracula's eye made one shiver, but "King Kong" glares with orbs large as a pie plate. Women screamed when the heavy feet of Frankenstein's monster plodded across the screen, but "King Kong" treads shakes the earth! The barefaced fangs of Mr. Hyde made one gasp with horror, but "King Kong" eye-teeth are ten inches long and his snarl comes from lips six feet from corner to corner! King Kong's adventures, after he is discovered in a lost jungle make him ruler supreme over the black natives and great dinosaurs from the prehistoric ages that still live on Skull Island. Regularly he is offered a sacrificial native girl. One day the sacrifice is a white girl, delicate, golden-haired, beautiful.

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But the greatest thrills come when "King Kong" is finally captured with gas bombs and taken to New York, where he is displayed to a civilization amazed. This strange mechanistic world drives him mad. He wants the girl and a getaway. He gets her by amazing procedure of reaching into the fourth story window of her hotel, and snatching her out of bed.

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"The Good Companions." The enacting of "The Good Companions" was a matter demanding a vast amount of consideration in order that the right types should be selected for the various characters of the novel and at the same time to ensure that the requisite amount of star value was assured for the film.

Henry Ainley was the first selection, for the important role of Jess Oakroyd. When he fell ill after three weeks of "shootings," the filling of the role of the warm-hearted little Yorkshireman.

The selection of the player for the role of Mrs. Jess Oakroyd was a more difficult matter. It called for a woman, forty-ish, possessing a knowledge of the Yorkshire dialect. There wasn't such a person on the books of any of the film or stage agencies, so Victor Saville, the director, went to Yorkshire to find her. In Huddersfield he was introduced to Mrs. Florence Gregson, the wife of a Yorkshire playwright and actor. Mrs. Gregson acted in her husband's plays. She was (dare we mention it) of the age demanded by the script, and she could also speak the necessary dialect. So this solved one of Saville's difficult problems.

The role of Inigo Jollifant was not so difficult to settle as John Gielgud had already created this part in the stage version of Priestley's novel.

The choice for the role of Susie Dean was made in favour of Jessie Matthews. The player filling this role had to have a good singing voice, be able to dance above the average, be able to act, and also understand film technique. Miss Matthews had all these qualifications.

The banjo is not played a great deal these days, and the necessity of getting a player for the role of Morton Mitcham who combined singing ability with musical talent in this direction also presented a problem. Fortunately Percy Parsons stepped into the breach.

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The second of a series of evening cocktail parties, inaugurated by Col. Bird and Officers of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, was held at Volunteer Headquarters yesterday evening, the Pipe Band of the Scottish Company providing the musical entertainment.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., accompanied by Lady Peel and Capt. Walter A.D.C., were among the many guests present. His Excellency was received by Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., Commandant of the Volunteer Corps.

Pipe music and Scottish dance numbers were provided by members of the Scottish Company, the programme being as follows:

March: 79th Farewell to Gibraltar.

March: Invercall and Jenny's Brabec.

Strathpey: The Marquis of Huntley.

Reel: Tall Toddlers.

March: MacNab's March.

Retreat: Lochanade.

March: Sweet Maid of Glendonnel and Back o' Benachie.

Strathpey: London's Bonnie Braces.

Reel: The Black Hand Laddie.

March: Teribus and Corry-hoylo.

The Scottish dance numbers, which received vociferous applause, were provided by the following:

1. Highland Fling.—Mr. Allan Rinch.

2. Sword Dance.—Pipe Major W. C. Mackie.

3. Foursome Reel.—Pipe Major W. C. Mackie, Mr. Allan Rinch, Mr. K. S. Morrison and Mr. G. Nesbitt.

Pipe music for the dances was provided by Mr. H. Watson.

Success of the function was largely due to the enthusiasm of Major Dowbiggin, Mess President of the Regimental Institute of the

SCHOOL CRICKET.

WINDSOR PERFORMS WELL AGAINST LA SALLE

St. Joseph's College defeated La Salle College in an Inter-Collegiate cricket match on the latter's ground yesterday by 10 runs.

G. Windsor and H. Asomo performed well for the Josephians, the former scoring 43 runs, and the latter taking 6 wickets for 35 runs.

J. Alves was the top scorer for La Salle College with 24 runs to his credit. Bowling honours were shared by A. Masters and R. Silva, each of whom claimed three wickets.

Volunteers. Major Dowbiggin, one of the keenest members of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps, was mainly responsible for the institution of the cocktail parties, the first of which took place in August.

Among the many prominent guests present were His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, Capt. Walter A.D.C., Capt. Meares, A.D.C. to the G.O.C., Col. and Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. H. Oliver, Mr. L. N. Murphy, Major Dowbiggin, Hon. C. G. Alabaster, Miss Alabaster, Mr. and Mrs. Cock, Hon. Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, Mr. J. Macgregor (Past President of the St. Andrew's Society in Shanghai), Col. and Mrs. Carrington Sykes, Squadron-Leader and Mrs. P. C. Wood, Capt. H. R. Forsyth, Capt. H. Owen Hughes, Lt. D. Richards, Lt. E. G. Stewart, Rev. N. V. Halward, Rev. Lewis Bryan, Major Manners, O.B.E., Rev. G. Waldegrave, Capt. A. Potts, Lt. and Mrs. C. de S. Robertson, M.M., Mr. A. O. Brown, Capt. and Mrs. M. A. Johnson, Lt. D. L. Strellet, Lt. L. F. Nicholson, Mr. J. B. Ross, Lt. J. T. Bottomley, Lt. P. Sanderson, Mr. D. M. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Piovaneli, Dr. and Mrs. T. H. S. Galletly, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanton, Capt. and Mrs. Wilkinson, Lt. Westlake, D.C.M., Dr. Durrant, Dr. E. C. Humphreys, Mr. A. E. Bates and Mr. J. Sunley.

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ANNIVERSARY RECEPTION AT CLUB DE LUSITANO

On the occasion of the twenty-third anniversary of the establishment of the Portuguese Republic, a reception was held by the Vice Consul for Portugal, Mr. P. B. Botelho, at the Club de Lusitano yesterday.

The guests, who included Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, Acting Chief Justice, Capt. Walker, A.D.C. to His Excellency the Governor, Capt. Meyers, A.D.C. to His Excellency the General Officer Commanding, and Captain Porter, Personal Secretary to the Commodore, Naval Establishment, were received by Mr. and Mrs. Botelho.

The toast to His Majesty the King was proposed by Mr. Botelho, while His Honour, Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, proposed the toast to the President of the Portuguese Republic.

Among the many guests present were: Capt. Walker, Capt. Meyers, Capt. Porter, the Hon. Rev. H. V. Victoria, Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong, His Honour Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, Mr. Douglas Jenkin, Consul General for the United States, Mr. de la Frade, Consul General for France, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E., Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tickle, Hon. Sir H. E. Pollock, Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, Hon. Dr. R. R. Kotewall, C.M.G., Sir W. W. Hornell, Kt., Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., C.B.E., Dr. F. M. G. Ozorio (President of the Club de Lusitano), Mr. L. D'Almada, Jr., Mr. Philip Jackson, Mr. M. Figuerido, Mr. P. M. da Silva, Mr. C. A. D'Almada, Mr. E. M. Hall, Mr. Ho Leung, Mr. M. H. Lo, Mr. S. W. Tso, Mr. F. M. L. Soares, Mr. E. Grossman, Maj. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr. H. Owen Hughes, Mr. A. K. Mackenzie and Mr. J. Hennessy Seth.

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By Rosette Hargrove

Paris.—Fashioners are said to reflect the times, and this certainly seems true of the clothes offered by the Parisian creators for the autumn. Never in the history of the mode have there been so many diverse trends. While the fundamental line, so far as things practical are concerned, is more or less normal and static, with trimming interpreted according to the individual creator's ideas, fantasy reigns supreme in clothes for leisure hours.

Luxurious and unusual fabrics and colour contrasts often achieved by the fur trimming, has been the aim of every couturier. Fur, as a matter of fact, never has been used quite so lavishly. It lines informal coats, in the less expensive varieties, and is used in enormous quantities on afternoon and evening gowns as well as wraps, fox and astrakhan being the big favourites for all.

Fancy wool fabrics, nearly all flecked with white, fashion sports clothes. Diagonal stripes, fancy checks and tweeds, with heavy Melton cloth, represent the novelties.

Trains are in again for formal evening wear. Everybody features them. Molyneux, Schiaparelli, Maggy Rouff, Lelong and Marcel Rochas. Wonderful artificial flowers in the most unusual colour contrasts trim one side of the degollete at Molyneux's. Velvet gloves and belts in a deeper shade than the dress or directly contrasting are other highlights of this collection, and sometimes this is completed by a velvet hat.

Marcel Rochas, one of the youngest but most popular couturier with Paris' younger set, offers the most modernistic collection. He labels his clothes as "Dynamic," adding that he was unable to resist the temptation of continuing on the acutely modern theme of built-up shoulders, which he was the first to launch over two years ago, amid a great hue and cry.

All his coats are slightly bell-shaped at the hem and fullness is concentrated toward the front, both at the shoulder line and in the skirts. Deep, masculine pockets distinguish his sports coats, a feature which will give younger women a whole set of new attitudes.

Rochas' unusual treatment of the shoulder line is expressed in terms of cylinders, cones, boatsails, fins and outstanding seams. They are not voluminous, but the result is distinctly new and rather startling.

His evening clothes are interesting, to say the least. Directoire or Merveilleuse in inspiration, they are long, very slim and trailing. The neckline is high in front and generously décolleté at the back. They are obviously un-



(From Marcel Rochas)

Typical of the diverse trends of Paris fashions are these creations by Marcel Rochas. At left is a sports type coat with double revers and huge pockets. But he dresses it up with voluminous fur sleeves and it becomes dressy enough for most informal occasions. A long, slim fitting, black velvet dress for formal wear (centre) achieves the "mosaquetra" silhouette. The huge bow at the neck is of starched chiffon and the black velvet picture hat in the "mildady" style has curled ostrich plumes. At right is a comfortable and practical coat for daytime wear, with twin sailboat sleeves and a swagger back.

practical but highly picturesque, be the best expression of the other a dark and dull shade sports things are fashioned of (Betel) with a generous sprinkling of beige, brown and granite grey.

Bodies are nearer perfection than ever before, according to this artist, so clothes have not to hide quite so many faults. The result is a great simplicity. Luxurious fabrics bring their note of splendour to daytime as well as evening clothes.

Schiaparelli's establishment was bristling with excitement when she showed her latest ideas. Her new silhouette is extremely simple. Skirts are slim and straight, with waistlines and skirt lines normal. She retains her wide-at-the-top silhouette, believing it to

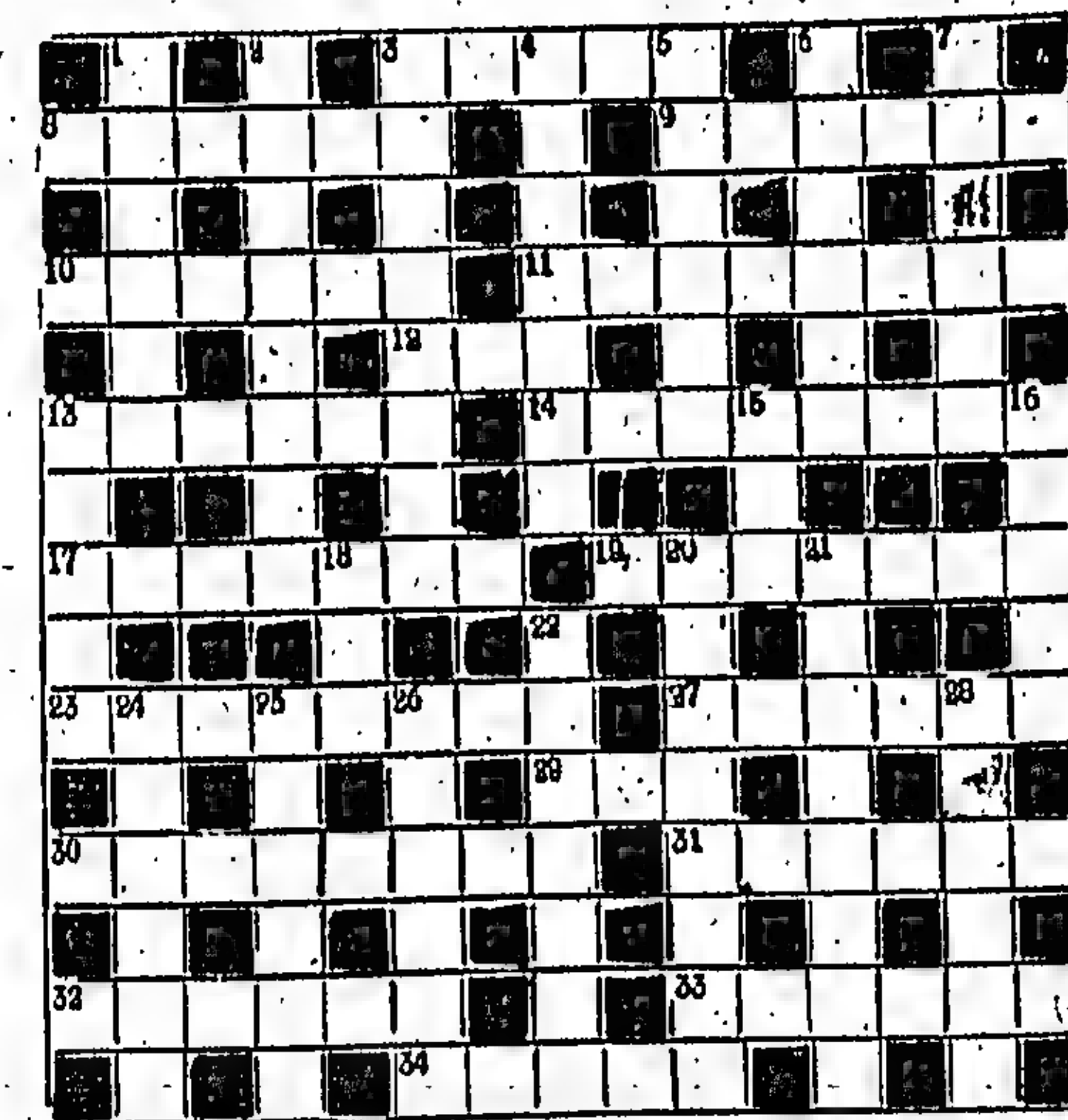
be the best expression of the modern woman.

Molyneux continues to stress the fitted hipline silhouette throughout his collection. His day clothes are slim, with the waistline normal, and skirt hems reasonably long, essentially quiet and distinguished in their colouring, line and fur trimming.

Black is first favourite for both daytime and evening, with touches of sky, llama, cathay and ombre blue, dashing Chinese reds, one very vivid (Peking) and the

Black is replaced by a deep, almost navy, blue and furs are dyed the same colour. All Rochas' the white bristle in pointed fox.

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- 3 Come to tea: it will be heavenly.
- 8 Lack of anything but soil will account for this.
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- 10 A steep slope provides a way out of a scrape.
- 11 Chivalrous.
- 12 Nothing to do with prunes, but flashes a prism.
- 13 Flourish.
- 14 Sounds as though the weapon at your end might be magnificent.
- 17 Brings up with the makings of a purser.
- 19 Miser who underwent a change of heart.
- 23 The metal-worker—noble lad—gives pride of place to his master.
- 27 A barrel in which a fowl has laid may, when turned round, be worth its weight in gold.
- 29 Bowled!
- 30 A military force that has nothing to order.
- 31 Periodical though, it is true, a removal will cancel.
- 32 The part of the wheel the suggests co-operation.
- 33 Add tone to give an edge.
- 34 This message is probably from Overseas.

Down

- 1 This scratchy plant supplies internal comfort.
- 2 As regards the curate, shake him up, and you'll find that he's quite an ordinary being.
- 3 I join the cathedral body at the head of the column.
- 4 This man is greatly addicted to the bottle.
- 5 Axiom.
- 6 Hero's a pigeon. Put the cat outside.
- 7 Her ale, rightly regarded, is as valuable as the doctor.
- 13 Crown the strings for the woodwind.
- 16 Some hair!
- 18 Pass where one may see an English river at.
- 19 Signs of satisfaction.
- 20 "No go—can't" (anag.).
- 21 Even should the music fade, the muslin need not.
- 22 What the dance band singer did.
- 24 Discussed—probably in a byre, as a cow makes the opening remark.
- 25 Glided bronework.
- 26 Split.
- 28 Makes of piano.

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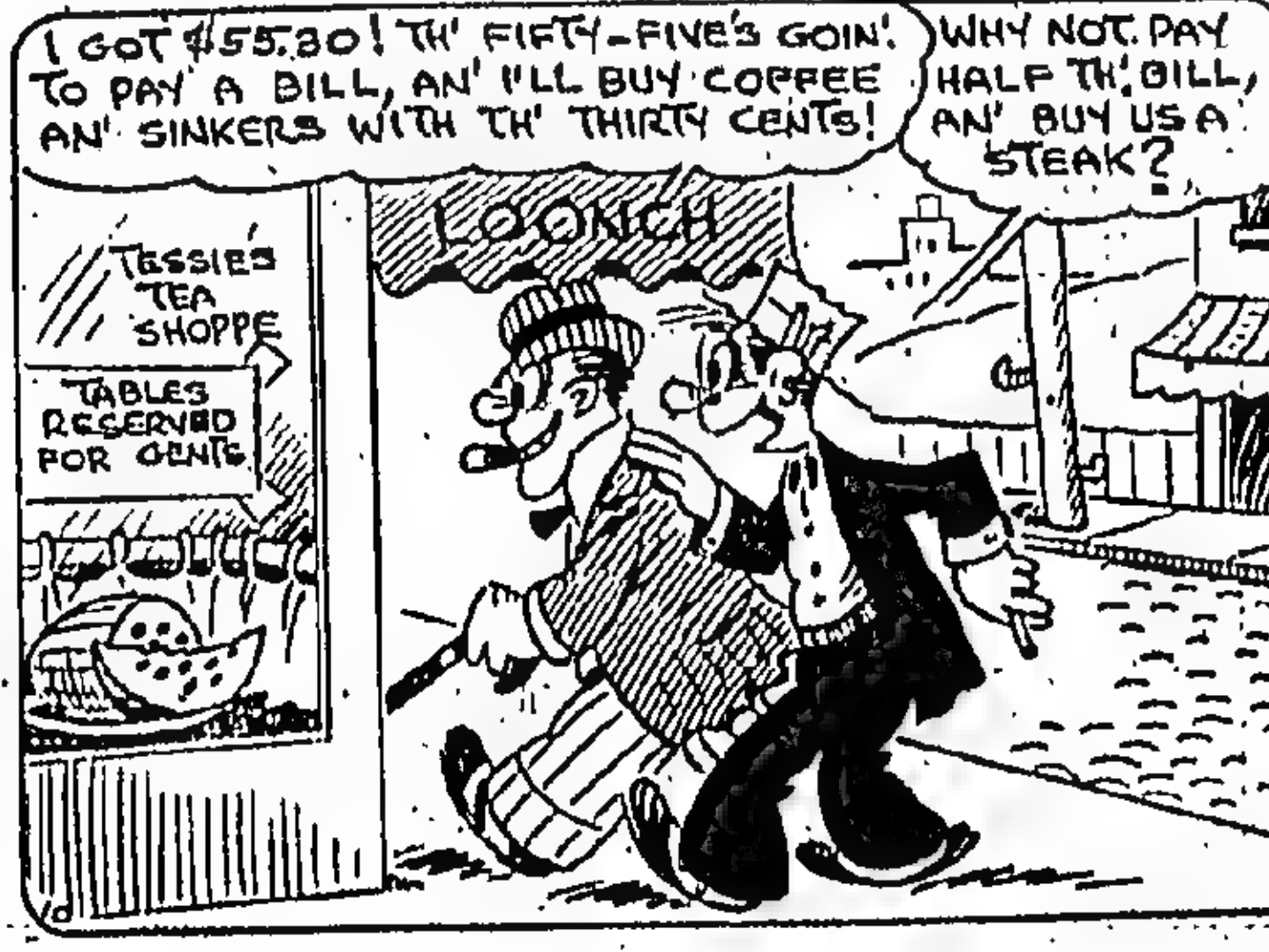
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For the LOVE of EVE by Lucy Walling

CHAPTER XL

The night before Thanksgiving day Eve ate dinner in a down town restaurant and then went to the library where she selected two of the newest books to read over the holiday. It was one of the evenings when she missed Dick dreadfully and wanted to put off going home. But when she finally arrived at the apartment she found a letter from Dick waiting for her on the hall table.

He wrote that he and some of the others had driven to Old Forge for the Thanksgiving turkeys for Mrs. Williams who kept the boarding house. They had attended a movie, the first Dick had seen since he left Lake City. He added that there would be 20 at the boarding house for Thanksgiving dinner—the men from the construction camp, and a number of school teachers who took their meals there.

Was it jealousy that Eve felt when she read that sentence? She had pictured Dick as living in a man's world entirely. This was his first reference to the school teachers. Eve hoped fervently that all of them were middle-aged and unattractive, and not in any way like Dorothy McElhinney.

Eve spent Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Penney. They attended services at the Little Stone church together and then boarded a trolley which took them to the artist's home. Mrs. Penney had rented the second floor of a two-family house near the college her daughter attended. Eve could not refrain from complimenting her on the attractiveness of the rooms.

"Jean made those hooked rugs," Mrs. Penney said proudly. "And she made the draperies for the windows, too. Those pictures are some of my work, done before my marriage."

"Jean has a great deal of artistic talent," Eve commented. "Yes," answered Mrs. Penney. "Her father was an artist, too, but he died when Jean was a baby."

Eve refrained from asking questions and busied herself preparing salad for the dinner. Jean and a young man who was a classmate joined them after the football game and Mrs. Penney set the boy to work mashing the potatoes. Another girl and boy soon arrived and Mrs. Penney assigned them tasks. It was a merry dinner and the young people were so amusing that not once did Eve feel a pang

of homesickness. The boys washed the dishes. Apparently they were quite at home in Mrs. Penney's flat.

"They are all from out of town," she explained to Eve. "And I mother them a bit. But they understand I must give most of my energy to my job and if they want to play here they must help with the work."

Jean and her friends left in the afternoon to attend a tea dance. Mrs. Penney invited Eve to curl up on the davenport while she pulled a small Windsor rocker closer to the fireplace.

"It must be a great satisfaction for you to have Jean!" began Eve. "I don't know what I would have done without her!" nodded Mrs. Penney. "She is all I have lived for these last 17 years. And she looks so much like her father. That is my greatest job. I believe she has inherited his ability too. If he had lived I am sure he would have become one of our finest artists. His work at the time of his death was beginning to attract wide attention."

Eve was interested. She had wondered about the little woman with the brave, smiling face and gentle manners. Eve had always thought there must be an interest-

ing story concerning Mrs. Penney, and he was gone within the week."

She encouraged her to go on. "Jean's father studied in Paris and when he returned to this country he taught art classes in Chicago. I had gone there to study, and was one of his pupils. Perhaps we would never have been more than acquaintances if we had not attended an artists' ball where fate or chance sent us together in an old-time circle, two-step. We danced in perfect harmony and my heart as well as my soul took wings. Jean comes naturally by her love for dancing."

"After our marriage I continued to study art, but in private. We were extremely happy and when little Jean was born it seemed life could hold no greater happiness. Jean was just learning to say 'Daddy' and watch for him in the window at the close of day when he became ill. It was pneumonia

Mrs. Penney's voice broke. Then she raised her chin in the manner Eve had noticed was characteristic of her and said calmly, "This is no subject for a holiday, Mrs. Rader. Shall I turn on the radio?"

It was twilight and the room was lighted only by the flickering glow from the fireplace. Eve, nestling among the pillows on the comfortable davenport, begged her to go on with her story.

Mrs. Penney continued. "That is life, Mrs. Rader. Sometimes we get our greatest joys when the skies seem brightest. But sometimes, too, when it seems we cannot go on, things suddenly make a right-about turn and the path is cleared ahead. Always there is something left to make it worth-

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With the Wing On and Sincere emporiums seen in the background this photograph, which was taken one morning on Chekiang Road, gives a clear illustration of the serious nature of the flooding at a point which is not far short of a mile from the Bund. The flooding in this district was of a very widespread character.



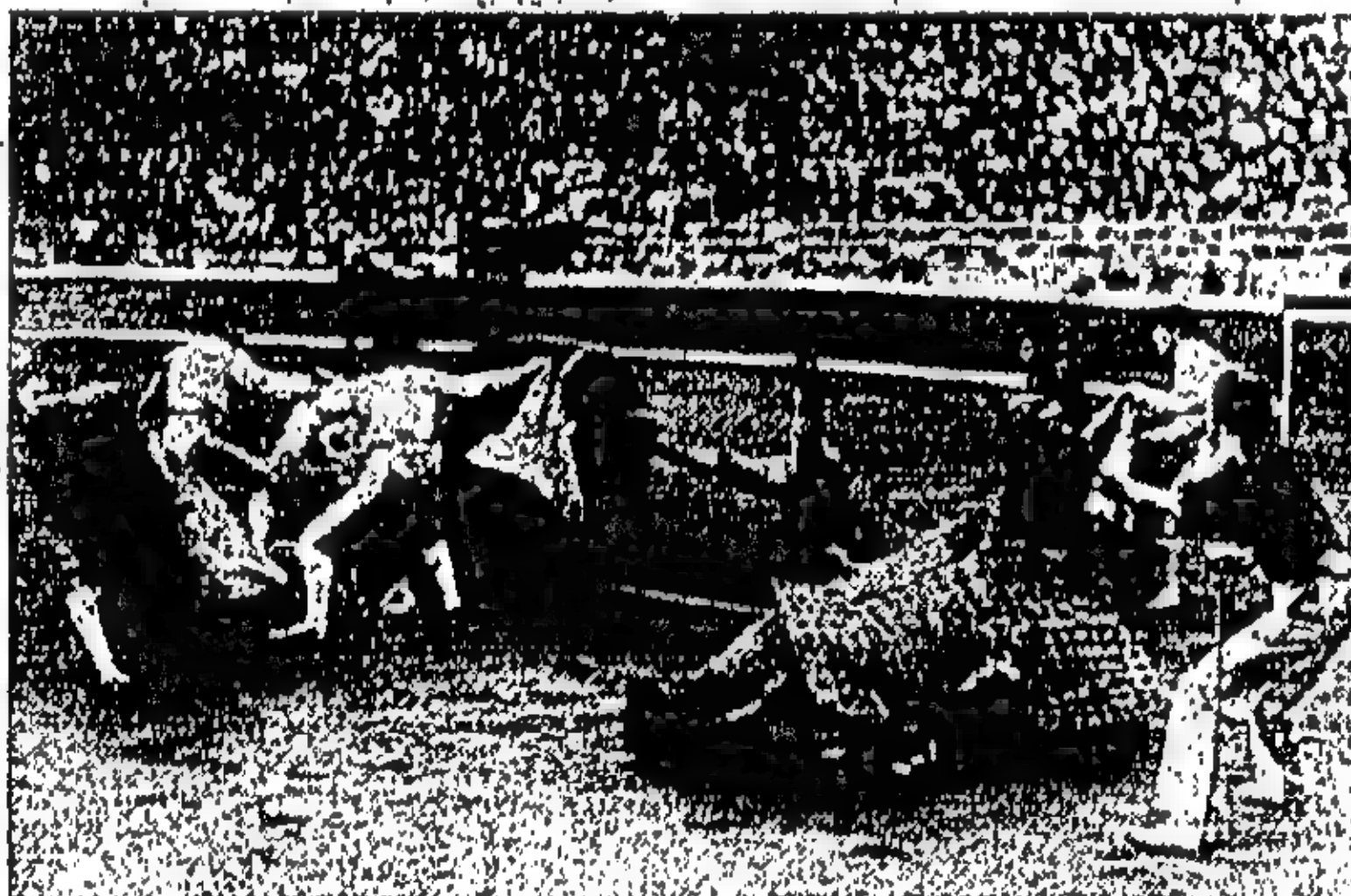
The surge of traffic was quiet but not stopped by swirling, yellow waters from the Whangpoo which stretched far up the city's main thoroughfare. Although some cars stalled and had to be abandoned temporarily, others sped through like launches. In a holiday mood, pedestrians sloshed along while the proprietors of shops and stores along the big street swept frantically with brooms to expel the waters from their floors.



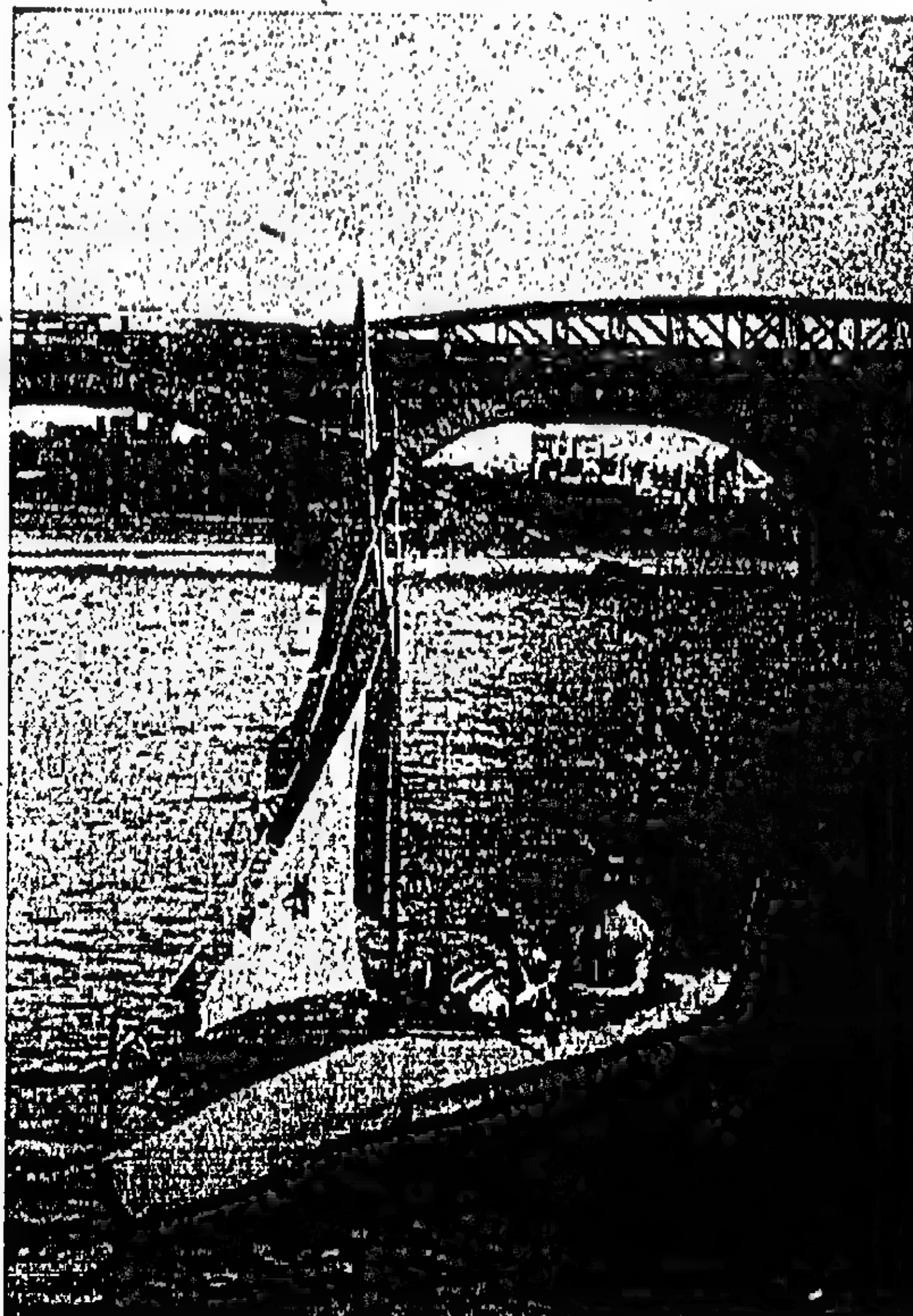
AN UNUSUAL SITUATION.—In one of the suburbs of Madrid a bull escaped on the way to the arena and as not all Spaniards are toreros people in the streets must clump up the house-walls. (Presses Illustrations Bureau).



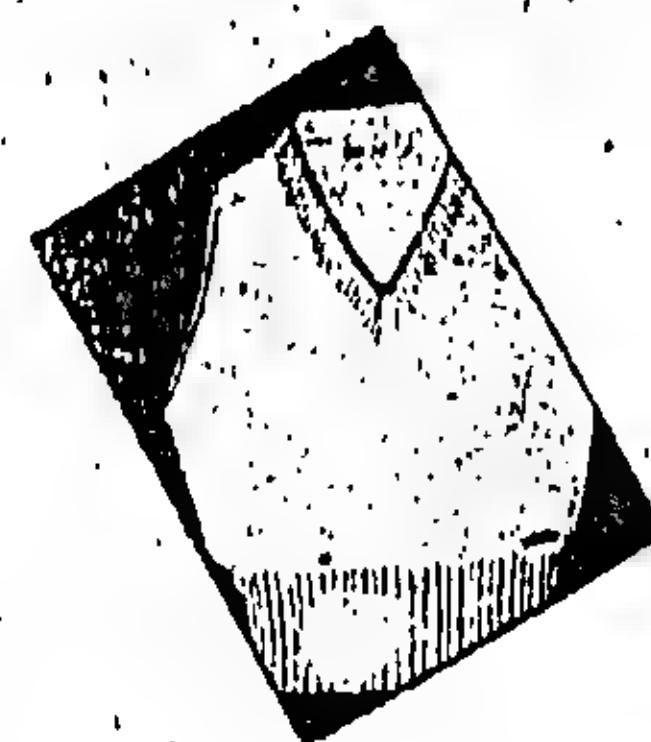
Wallace Beery, famous film star, with his baby, acknowledging the cheers of the crowd who greeted him on arrival at Waterloo Station. (Planet News).



Athrilling bullfight in the Bilbao ring was brought to a dramatic climax when the matador was lifted off his horse by the bull. Picture shows the matador falling to the ground during the fight, with attendants rushing to rescue the horse. (Planet News).



Mr. Colin Sullivan sailing down the Thames in a folding boat in which he is to attempt to sail to Australia. (Planet News).



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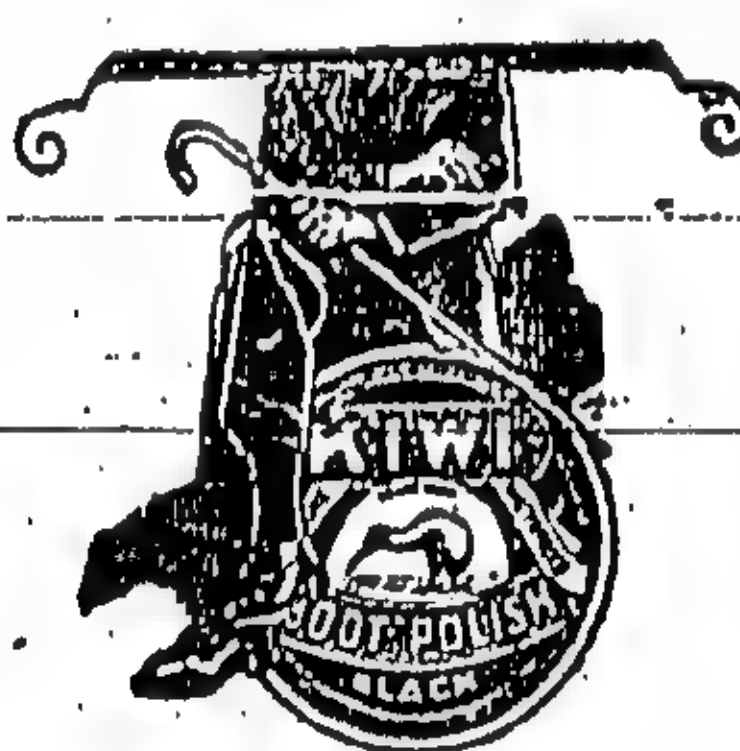
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SALE OF PROPERTY.

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Thereafter, about four competitors came in, and between them they managed to make it \$5,100 before it was knocked down to a Chinese named Chow Yang.

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In the sale, Messrs. Russ & Co. acted for the vendors.

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Swatow and Shanghai	Suiyang	October 7
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Japan	Toba Maru	October 8
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	October 8
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Saloon	D'Artagnan	October 10
Shanghai	Meriones	October 10
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Shanghai	Emp. of Asia	October 11
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	October 12
Japan	Taima	October 12
Japan and Shanghai	Kashima Maru	October 13
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Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Friday	Friday, Oct. 6, 5 p.m.
Bangkok	Friday	Friday, Oct. 6, 5 p.m.

Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam, Corfu" .. Sat., Oct. 7.

Air Mail Service. K.P.O. G.P.O.

Reg. Oct. 6, 4.30 p.m. Reg. Oct. 6, 5 p.m.

Letters Oct. 6, 5 p.m. Letters Oct. 7, 9 a.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. Corfu .. Sat., Oct. 7.

and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 3rd November).

Parcels, Oct. 6, 4.30 p.m. Parcels, Oct. 6, 5 p.m.

Reg. Oct. 7, 9 a.m. Reg. Oct. 7, 9.45 a.m.

Letters, Oct. 7, 10 a.m. Letters, Oct. 7, 10.30 a.m.

(Due Victoria B.C. 1st November)

Haliphong Canton .. Sat., Oct. 7, 2 p.m.

*Shanghai, Japan U.S.A., Central General Pershing .. Sat., Oct. 7.

and South America, *Canada and Reg. Oct. 7, 4.15 p.m.

*Europe via San Francisco (Due San Francisco, 30th Oct.)

Bangkok .. Sat., Oct. 7, 3.30 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Burdwan .. Sat., Oct. 7, 5 p.m.

Siberia

Manila .. Pres. Jackson .. Sat., Oct. 7, 4.30 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Formosa .. Canton Maru .. Sun., Oct. 8, 9 a.m.

Bangkok via Swatow .. Hermod .. Sun., Oct. 8, 9 a.m.

Manila .. Rhexenor .. Sun., Oct. 8, 9 a.m.

Monday.

Swatow .. Hydrangea .. Mon., Oct. 9, 9 a.m.

Bangkok via Swatow .. Kalgar .. Mon., Oct. 9, 9 a.m.

*Japan and *Canada .. Protasilas .. Mon., Oct. 9, 9 a.m.

(Due Victoria B.C. 3rd Nov.)

Tuesday.

Batavia .. Tjalsak .. Tues., Oct. 10, 10.30 a.m.

Reunion, Mauritius, Madagascar, Tjalsak .. Tues., Oct. 10, 10.30 a.m.

Lawrence Marques and South (To connect with the s.s. "Barents" at Batavia leaving Batavia on 18th October)

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Reg. Oct. 10, 10 a.m. Reg. Oct. 10, 10.30 a.m.

Letters, Oct. 10, 10.30 a.m. Letters, Oct. 10, 11 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow .. Haliphong .. Tues., Oct. 10, Noon.

Shanghai .. D'Artagnan .. Tues., Oct. 10, Noon.

Fort Bayard, Hohow, Pakhoi and Tonkin .. Tues., Oct. 10, Noon.

Haliphong .. Tues., Oct. 10

Swatow and *Europe via Marseilles Chenonceaux .. Tues., Oct. 10

(Due Marseilles, 9th November)

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Letters, Oct. 10, 11 a.m. Letters, Oct. 10, Noon.

*Shanghai, Japan Honolulu, U.S.A. Pres. Coolidge .. Tues., Oct. 10.

*Central and South America, Reg. Oct. 10, 10 a.m.

FOR THE LOVE OF EVE
BY LUCY WALLING

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chills for us to go on. Usually it is some other person.

"Little Jean and I have known some hard times. For more than eight years I met defeat at every turn. It was not so bad while I had my health. But when my health broke it was extremely hard to earn enough for us to live on. I let myself believe only the encouraging reports of those who had suffered similarly and determined I had not yet reached bottom. Each night I prayed that I would be able to get up next morning and to do the housework and take care of Jean. It seems a small boon to ask but it was a very important one. My recovery was complete and I shall try never to complain about anything again so long as I have health and the opportunity to earn a living."

Mrs. Penney smiled cheerfully and added, "I have some friends

who seem to disapprove of my attitude, which they say is too cheerful, and my active sense of humour. A crushed and mournful appearance would seem to them more becoming. But I have had to be both father and mother to little Jean and I wait her to have a happy life. So you see I can't think of myself alone!"

What was it the minister had said that morning in church? "You ask for some living manifestation of God in our midst. Can you not see for yourself the sacrificing mother who forgets self in the interest of her child?"

There had been more, of course, but that one sentence of the Thanksgiving sermon stood out in Eve's memories, coupled with Mrs. Penney's story. What an infinitesimal thing the loss of dollars and cents seemed compared to the obstacles this little woman had had to battle alone. What a triumph over adversity was hers. Eve felt her own aims trivial after Mrs. Penney had finished her story.

When Eve reached home that night she wrote a long letter to her husband.

"And so," she wrote in conclusion, "after my talk with Mrs. Penney I've decided to give up work here and come to Pine Forest if you want me to and if there is a house available. I don't suppose there is such a thing as an apartment to be had there."

Slowly, with unsteady fingers, she folded the pages and placed them in an envelop. To-morrow she would tell Earle Barnes that she was through at Bixby's. She would sacrifice the dream that had been hers so long—the dream of seeing her name on the door of a private office above the words, "Advertising Manager." She would sacrifice all that for Dick.

Yes, Eve told herself, she was willing to forget her ambitions if Dick wanted her. "If he wanted her!" The words seemed to form themselves into a litany which sang itself over and over again in her mind.

(To Be Continued)

THE UNSOLVED RIDDLE
OF THE UNIVERSE

(Continued from Page 6.)

along for millions of years trying and discarding and trying again until at long last it arrived in triumph at the Soviet slave camps and the American racketeers and the Cockney bag snatchers and the bombing plane and the Economic Conference.

Me! I've been reading biology and things until my brain bobs about like a shuttle-cock, and the conclusion to which I am driven is that life and evolution and the universe are mysteries which we have not begun to understand. Was it Sir Humphry Davy who said "The wider the area of light the wider the circle of darkness outside it?"

There! And I have not said what the Moneron is. He is a speck of jelly, invisible to the human eye. He can walk without feet, seize without hands, eat without mouth and digest without stomach.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1933.

HARD TIMES AHEAD

The Hon. Colonial Secretary touched lightly upon the issue of Hongkong's falling trade in the course of his Budget speech, but his grievance was against the thought of loss of revenue; his concern for the trader was not particularly evidenced. Nevertheless, the problem is becoming serious and one deserving the earnest attention of government. Month by month since the year's beginning, the volume of trade has grown a little less and though it would not be fair to say that the dwindling movement has not been officially noticed, the inclination has been to visit it upon the general economic blizzard and to assume that we must simply wait in patience for it to wear itself out. No lesson is drawn from the bankruptcy of a silk-store with a forty years' establishment behind it; from the disappearance of countless small dealers who have quietly shut up without causing a stir. An apathetic reference to a wedding-out process, and no more is said, because we suppose it is true enough, in a sense, and is likely to go on. But it points very grimly to the seriousness of the blight upon Hongkong's commercial life. While the diminution in the ebb and flow of trade each month has not been sensationally large, the aggregate drop since January runs into nine figures. A large volume of unemployment is created immediately by stagnation on the waterfront and diminishing purchasing power in one small section of the community soon begins to affect every other by inexorable economic laws. Internal consumption is even now falling away faster than the volume of exports. Small bankruptcies occur, temporarily refreshing other firms engaged in similar lines of business, enabling them to keep up appearances for a while, thus delaying full realisation of the truth of what is happening. In short, Hongkong is witnessing the working out of the processes which have brought many countries almost to their knees, some of them to revolution, in the past three years. And what is being done about it? Nothing: if we are permitted to judge from official pronouncements. Japanese competition we have to bear with; Hongkong is a free port. Silver? Our bankers, whose interests would seem to lie in an increase in China's purchasing power, an increase which would automatically be reflected in a Hongkong revival, have revealed themselves as opposed to all artificial measures of stimulation. Strong as is the Colony's interest, it is too much to expect that official representations have been made to the Secretary of State in favour of measures for improving the price of silver. China's customs duties

NOTES OF THE DAY

WAR DEBTS

Activity among prophets is a natural accompaniment to the resumption of war debt negotiations between Britain and the United States. Several solutions are suggested; they include a lump sum payment in silver purchased in the American market, a scaling down of annual instalments in return for trade concessions. Both are possible, the first being probably the most acceptable to both parties, provided a figure can be agreed on. That is the crux of the situation, of course. Speculation as to the probable outcome of the discussions can serve little purpose. The main thing is that they have opened and that the United States seems better disposed to see reason to-day than even a few months ago. The result will, of course, be of vital importance as the British debt agreement will form a model for the forthcoming negotiations with other debtors of the United States.

A CONDITION

The time has gone by to discuss either the ethics or the economics of war-debt payments. Instead of a theory, there is a condition to be faced. America's war debtors can hardly be expected to pay more to Washington than they are receiving by way of reparations. They want a "Lausanne reduction." Whenever an international debtor develops such an attitude, it usually happens that the creditor has to accept what he can get. It is an extraordinary situation that the creditor in this case seems to prefer continuing default to amicable settlement. President Roosevelt, however, has displayed an amazing faculty for bridging awkward situations. And he has the advantage over his predecessor that during his Administration no far farm buying power has been improved 30 per cent. 2,000,000 unemployed have been put back to work, and radical readjustments have been initiated in internal debts. These factors should add to his unique influence with Congress in helping them and the country to get accustomed to the thought that the United States cannot get all she bargained for.

MRS. PEARL BUCK

It hardly needed Mrs. Pearl Buck's observations to convince that goodwill and good sense marked the withdrawal of her connexion with the Presbyterian Mission Board. And a world of readers will rejoice that she will have more time to spare for writing. In one sense, Mrs. Buck has been less a missionary herself than the wife of a missionary. It is her husband, Dr. J. Lossing Buck, who has been doing the work in China to which the casual observer would be most likely to attach the label "missionary." Even in the case of Professor Buck it is true that his distinguished services as dean of the college of agriculture in the University of Nanking do not follow the pattern of what was commonly regarded as missionary work a generation ago. Mrs. Buck has herself taught regularly in the university. But it was not as a teacher in a mission college that Pearl Buck has become internationally famed. It is as the writer of novels, now translated into a dozen or more languages, that she has gained the attention of the world.

LITERARY STYLE

What has given Mrs. Buck's books their importance? Much of the answer is to be found in a study of her literary method. Mrs. Buck has never ceased to keep herself immersed in Chinese life. Chinese have been her intimates; she has not known Chinese life; she has lived Chinese life. Added to that, she has saturated her mind with Chinese literature—not the academic philosophising of the 'ages, but the raw, vivid romances that make up an entire school of Chinese literature which the West scarcely knows exists. Thus it happened that when the West found its ear caught by the cadences of the style in which Mrs. Buck wrote "The Good Earth," it declared that her missionary background had sent her to the Old Testament for her model. Yet what had actually occurred was that Mrs. Buck, thinking her tale of Wang the farmer in the forms of the Chinese novel, had accurately translated into English that traditional Chinese style. The thing that she has been able to do is to get at the very heart of another culture.

most damaging of all to Hongkong's commercial interests, are presumably outside the sphere of local government interest. Altogether, the outlook is anything but happy. Helpless we are or as we are asked to believe. We can do nothing but wait—for better—or for worse.

THE UNSOLVED RIDDLE OF THE UNIVERSE

By ROBERT BLATCHFORD

When Sir Oliver Lodge writes about science he does not write in an unknown tongue. But there are others. There are biologists. Biology has been built up by men of many nations; Britons, Germans, Russians, Frenchmen, and they have made a new language, the words of which are hard to read, harder to understand, and still harder to remember.

"When Sir Oliver says: 'Live things, it is now admitted, are actuated by something more than the physical and chemical reactions of their material organisms,' he confronts us with the teasing riddle: 'What is Life?' and suggests with native candour and courage that life is something more than matter."

When we ask ourselves "What is life?" we turn hopefully from the nature of life to its history. We ask another question: "How did life begin?"

HOW CAME IT ALIVE?

To answer that we must turn to biology and biology is hard digging. If we are to understand the biologists and get their message over to the man in the street, we must translate their daunting language into plain English. That is not easy, for our doctors differ.

One party claim that man is an automaton, another party claim that man is a spirit.

I shall choose as opposing counsel, Dr. Hudson, author of "The Divine Pedigree of Man," and Professor Haeckel, author of "The Evolution of Man."

These writers agree about the known facts of evolution, but not about the original cause. And in my opinion, neither of them begins at the beginning. They begin with the lowest known form of life, which is the microscopic jelly speck called the Moneron. But the Moneron is alive, what is life, and where did it begin? An American writer, Professor Jordan, says: "The simplest organism we know is far more complex than the constitution of the United States."

Well, life did not begin, surely, at that stage. Life would begin by the action of mind on matter, like the first touch of a finger on a lute string, or it would begin by the chance meeting and mixing of two or more chemical elements. Life began. When?

In the childhood of the solar system the earth was a spinning ball of gas so hot that no animal or vegetable life was possible upon or in it. If mind gave life to matter it was not until the matter had cooled and water had appeared. If matter became alive by accident it was not until light and heat and moisture were suitable to the change. When the earth was a spinning and rushing cloud of fire, life as we know it could not be. But within that mass of consuming flame there must have been the makings of life. There must have been the seeds of the hills and the sea, the grass and the oaks. The primrose, the kingfisher, woman and children, philosophy, science, the aeroplane, diplomacy, dog-mancing, the Irish sweep and war.

If the makings of all life and all life's strivings and achievements were not present in the melting heat mass, then Professor

Haeckel was mistaken and life is not a cocktail shaken by the hand of casual forces.

Let us be cautious. Out of the fiery furnace came the makings of Protoplasm, and Protoplasm is the stuff of which life is made. Is it? Or is it the stuff into which mind put the beginnings of life?

FIRST STEP IN EVOLUTION.

Dr. Hudson asks: "Had primordial slime a creative mind?" I prefer to ask: Did the sea-slime create the Moneron? If the slime did that it did not only create a clot of jelly; it created life. It created the Moneron and the Moneron created the Amœba, which was the first step in Evolution. The Amœba, the single-cell of which all animals and plants are built, developed, by its own power, into the shark and the crocodile, the skylark and the gorilla, and at length produced Plato and Herr Hitler and Dr. Crippen and the author of "The Swiss Family Robinson."

The evidence for evolution is overwhelming. Haeckel and Hudson agree that all forms of animal life, including man, have evolved from the Moneron; and many claim that the Moneron evolved from the Protoplasm. The dispute centres on the Moneron. The Moneron had life.

Did the Protoplasm accidentally or automatically create life, or did life clothe itself in Protoplasm?

I find it hard to believe that mindless matter created life, that life was born of lifeless slime. And we are confronted with the staggering claim that mindless, lifeless matter not only created life, but created a creative life, a living power to grow from a seed into a tree, from a speck of jelly into a populous world, into literature, science, religion: into a vast and intricate civilisation.

Sir Oliver Lodge says: "Life and mind never were functions of the material body, they only displayed themselves by means of the material organism." Dr. Hudson says the same, and he claims that the Moneron had a mind and able to grow and spread and become a human body and a human soul. He believes, to put his idea into Biblical words, that God breathed the breath of life into lifeless clay.

Here we come up against another puzzle.

If life was put into the Moneron with the purpose of evolving mankind and maybe something still higher, why the delay and why the deviations? Evolution by way of worms and fishes: reptiles and mammals, bears and apes, to man looks like a broken chain of experiments, a long, slow series of false starts.

A STORY OF TRIAL AND ERROR.

Would an all-knowing, all-seeing, all-powerful Creator have put into the Moneron a creative mind that would blink and probe and wander off the track, developing into conger eel and rattlesnakes and scorpions and saw toothed tigers? The mind with which the Moneron set out either did not see its goal or did not know its way to the goal, but struggled (Continued on Page 5.)

The Very Idea!

THE PULSE OF THE WORLD

By Major Ed. Kelly, Critic

Of course you all read last week's Critic and saw where our old friend, the Major had established an Automatic Intelligence Service to send him news from all parts of the world. We don't know what prevented the Major from announcing our acceptance of a special correspondent's job. We suppose he was thinking of his reputation.

We'll be leaving soon, if the shroffs don't hear of it, and then on one bright Saturday, you may expect to see blazoned from yellow posters something like this:

THE CRITIC

EDWARD KELLY IN CUBA

Feeling the Nation's Pulse.

The story, on Page 4, will read something like this:

Havana, Oct. 31.

We have arrived.

Your special correspondent was taken, screaming and kicking from the Queen of Bermuda this morning and is now at the National Hotel. Already he has a keen grasp of the political situation on the island.

Shouts of "Viva Kellio" and other Spanish expressions rose from the throats of thousands as we walked between a guard of honour of ex-presidents from the Hotel National to the Hotel Grand National on the other side of the street.

THE DOWNDOWN.

The low down on the story is this. Cuba planned those riots to induce the American Navy to come to Havana. The Cabaret business was doing badly there and half the jabs were going broke. The American Navy was able to keep things going for a while before we arrived, but the hotel business is now flourishing and the Navy has been told to leave at any time.—A Kelly Special (Gin and Ginger.)

And, with the speed of light:—

VIENNA PUZZLE

Who Shot Dollfuss? Why, When? And Where?

Vienna, Dec. 4.

This morning we arrived in Austria and met the Chancellor, Dr. Dollfuss.

"Hallo, Fuzzy, old boy" we said clapping him on the shoulder. He winced.

"Don't do that, Kelly," he said. "A bullet hit me there yesterday."

"Good Heavens," we cried. "Did someone try to assassinate you?"

"No, No," he said. "A young fellow wearing a brown shirt and muttering mystic words like 'Hall Hitler' took a shot at me. The fellow had mistaken me for someone else, so we let him go."

Since interviewing Dr. Dollfuss we have made a number of inquiries and there is a grave suspicion that another Power had something to do with the attempted assassination. So far, we have been unable to ascertain the name of the other Power.—A Kelly Super Special.

FALSE ALARM

Sometime in 1934 we expect to go to Shanghai for another undeclared war and then we may send something like this:

Shanghai, Sept. 18, 3 p.m.

From behind Chapel, smoke is rising and grave fears are felt in the city that a fire had started there.

Later.

The smoke is still rising.

Still Later.

There was no fire after all. Someone had left the door of an opium divan open.—Kelly.

But it won't all be like that. We shall be telling the most stirring stories of the conflict, always remembering to probe into the deeper significance of each move. We shall be the most Automatic Intelligence Service in the World. You will get your money back if the machine doesn't work.

Next Week: Abyssinia.



"That's twice teacher has been tardy this week."

SLUM CLEARANCE

CONSERVATIVE PARTY SUPPORT

GOOD PROGRESS HERALDED

London, Oct. 5. The Conservative Party Conference, at which there were present 1,800 delegates from all parts of Britain, to-day pledged itself to give full support to the Government's slum clearance policy.

The Minister of Health, Sir Hilton Young, who, a few months ago, called on all local authorities to prepare schemes for the total elimination of slums within five years, and the provision of alternative accommodation, reported that the first stage of the campaign had given good results.

The bulk of local authorities had, he said, taken up the task with energy and vision, and he had already received returns covering three-fifths of the population.

The estimated totals from these returns provide for the clearance of 210,000 houses and the rehousing of about 1,050,000 people in five years.

BIG EFFORT. During the last ten years only 20,000 slum houses had been cleared and that effort was now being multiplied by twenty.

The cost would represent a total capital outlay in five years of £95 millions or £19 millions yearly. The Minister declared that the Government were determined to see the matter through and now that the bulk of the local authorities are devoting such vigour to the matter there would be no excuse for the laggards.

EMPIRE CONSOLIDATION. Among other resolutions passed by the Conservative Conference was one urging that efforts should be concentrated on Empire consolidation and development, including emigration and the extension of inter-empire trade.

The leader of party, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, will address the Conference to-morrow and it is understood will deal with disarmament and other aspects of the international situation.—*British Wireless.*

PAWNED BORROWED FOUNTAIN PEN

SCHOOLBOY'S KINDLY ACT ABUSED

Lui Kim-ying, 19, unemployed of Tai Shan district, was charged before Mr. Balfour in the Central Police Court this morning with stealing a fountain pen from Lin Ching, a school boy, of 21, Wing Kat Street.

Det-Sub-Ins. Elston said that at lunch time yesterday defendant was arrested trying to pawn the pen. He claimed the pen had been given to him and it was later found he had stolen it from 21 Wing Kat Street, where he sometimes went for his meals.

The school boy, in evidence, stated that he lent the pen to the defendant two days ago, but he did not bring it back.

The charge of stealing was then dropped and amended to illegal pawning, which the defendant admitted.

S.I. Elston: There is nothing recorded against him. His parents are in Cuba and through certain immigration laws he cannot get back.

The defendant was bound over.

VOLENT STRIKE SCENES

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ing a stiff campaign against any further "tampering" with the currency.

"DEATH WARRANT." The *Annalist*, a weekly review of financial affairs published by the The York Times Co., declares that any political party which inflates the currency will write its own death warrant.

Non-financial papers have gone further and hint that the Administration used the psychological effects of inflation possibilities to strengthen the commodity markets from time to time but never intended to bring about actual inflation.

Administration leaders have denied this and said that nothing was ever said nor done beyond announcing that inflation would be used "when, as and if necessary." They denied that there was any intent, at any time, to influence the market although it was the desire of everyone in the Government to see better prices for all products.

REFUSED TO PICK UP LADY PASSENGER

Bus Driver Fined \$10 This Morning

Among the batch of traffic cases dealt with by Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning was one in which Mrs. A.H. Howard appeared as complainant against a bus driver, Liu Ting-hong, who was summoned for "refusing to admit and carry at the lawful fare, a passenger for whom there was room, and to whose admission no reasonable objection could be made at the time on September 14.

Mrs. Howard said that whilst she was waiting for a bus opposite Granville Road she saw a bus slowing down. She walked to wards it with the intention of boarding it, but the driver accelerated. The bus was not full at the time and there was no reason why the driver did not stop.

Mrs. Howard said she was satisfied that the driver noticed her. There was another lady waiting for the bus.

Defendant stated that he stopped the bus but he only noticed Mrs. Howard when he had already started it again. There were several buses following, and he found that he could not stop again without causing some danger.

His Worship decided to convict and imposed a fine of \$10.

OTHER CASES.

J. Young, driver of a private car, was fined \$5 for failing to obey a traffic signal in Salisbury Road at 12.30 p.m. on September 5. Defendant admitted the offence and said he was already half way round the bend when he noticed that the signal was against him.

A. Xavier, driver of a private car, was summoned for allowing an unlicensed driver to drive his car in Nathan Road on August 30. He admitted the offence and was fined \$10. Miss George, the unlicensed driver referred to, was fined a similar sum for driving in an area not stipulated in her learner-driver's licence.

Accused of speeding in Nathan Road opposite the Majestic Theatre at a speed of 32 miles an hour on September 18, W. Buchner pleaded guilty and was fined \$15. Traffic Inspector Saunders said there was not much traffic at the time.

TIMBER DEALER'S ESTATE

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

Lim Kee-ley, alias Lim Kee-tai, or Kee Tye, timber merchant, formerly of 38, Carlton Street, Carlton, Victoria, Australia, and trading as Lim Yen, of 335, Nathan Road, died on June 26, 1929, leaving local estate sworn under \$46,000. Letters of administration de bonis non with the will and two codicils were granted to J. Fleming and A. Ritchie, attorneys.

Local estate valued at \$7,000 was left by Li Shiu-ki, of Fat Shan, Kwongtung, who died intestate on July 15. Letters of administration have been granted to Li Chi-hoo, widow.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"THINKING IS THE HARDEST WORK THERE IS, WHICH IS THE PROBABLE REASON WHY SO FEW ENGAGE IN IT."—Henry Ford.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Asia" left Kobe this morning at 5 a.m., is due at Nagasaki to-morrow at 5 a.m. and leaves at 1 p.m. for Shanghai, Hongkong and Manila.

The wedding is announced to take place shortly of Lt. Thomas William Erskine Donnelly, of H.M.S. "Hervick," and Miss Mary Millicent Joan Kimber, en route to the Colony on the s.s. "Antenor."

Banished from the Colony for 10 years on June 14 this year, Ng Chung-hau was arrested in Mongkok last evening. Charged before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, he was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour.

It is notified that firing will be carried out from Devil's Peak on October 9 and 12 at 9.30 a.m. in the direction of the South-East approaches to Tarrifong Channel. Firing will be carried out from Stonecutters on October 10 at 10 a.m. and October 18 at 6 p.m. south of Kap Sing Mun and north of Kau-I-Chau.

Chau Chiu, unemployed, who offered a girl's school in Calma Road by crawling through the fan-light was sent to prison for two weeks by Mr. Balfour in the Central Police Court this morning, for stealing two fountain pens, an ink pot and six sausages from the school. The defendant had a previous conviction for stealing away.

BISHI JUDGMENT

ILLEGALITY OF ASSOCIATION

CLAIM DISMISSED

A claim which had been adjourned many times was decided by the Puisne Judge, Mr. R.E. Lindell at the Supreme Court this morning, against an Indian moneylender and others who claimed \$160 from colleagues on a *bishi* Promissory Note.

Mr. F. C. Loseby representing Puran Singh and Qutub Din put forward a plea of illegality.

Mr. Leo D'Almeida, instructed by Mr. A. C. Araceli appeared for plaintiffs, Hazura Singh, the remaining defendant conducting his own case.

Giving judgment, His Lordship said: "In this action Mr. Singh, suing on his own behalf and on that of all other members, (excepting the defendants) of the Indian Co-operative Credit Society, agents for No. 12 Bishi, claims \$160 due to the Society under a Promissory Note signed by the defendants.

In my opinion the claim cannot be maintained. The plaintiffs are on the horns of a dilemma; they cannot sue as principals because it is clear that they are an association of more than 20 persons formed for the purpose of carrying on business that has for its purpose the acquisition of gain, and as such is illegal.

They are therefore driven to sue as agents, but as submitted by Mr. Loseby they are met by an insuperable difficulty. In this case in which the agency was entrusted to the whole body of the members of the Society jointly, it is not open to Mr. Singh and certain other members of the Society to claim to exercise that agency.

"This being so it is unnecessary for me to decide the further point as to whether or no an illegal association can effectively act as agents for a legal principal but I find it hard to see how an association, the formation of which the law forbids, can by clothing itself in the legality of its principals, divest itself of its own illegality."

Judgment for defendant, each party to pay its own costs.

PRETTY WOMAN HEADS OGPU

Feared More Than Male Colleagues

Harbin, Oct. 2. A Mongol refugee from Urka has informed the Manchukuo authorities that a pretty Russian woman is now in charge of the OGPU there.

He says that she arrived recently from Moscow, together with several male subordinates, and that she has instituted a reign of terror. Arrests and executions, he states, are the order of the day, and the wholesale confiscation of livestock belonging to alleged "plotters" is another of the dreaded punishments which she inflicts.

The refugee asserts that the woman often takes a leading part in the execution of prisoners and is more feared than any of the male members of her staff.

CORRESPONDENCE

BEAR WITH A SORE HEAD

Sir—You've heard the saying—What this country wants is more—?

Well what I am going to say is—What this Colony wants is more MEN.

I don't mean just males—they can be the other sex if they've got the kind of makeup which is expressed by MAN in capitals.

And don't think I mean cave-men. Its the big men that cave in quicker than the small, especially if you hit them in the middle.

No, I mean a man who has a respectable sense of his own value and is not convinced that because he is white or any other colour that he is the hue ordained by the Deity. Nobody has ever offered proof of the colour of Jesus Christ but his sentiments would come as well from any kind of lips.

And I want a man who is not stuffed up with false begotten pride because he has left a tender domicile at home to become an Empire Builder.

We all know that Empire Builders were great men, and notice the past tense, but they didn't arrive at every foreign country by first class in a mail steamer. Nor were they heralded by a blare of trumpets and given homage as the Great T Am.

They came cautiously in fear of their lives, they traded honourably to preserve a nation's prestige, and they passed away thankfully in the conviction that their achievement would be consolidated.

After the Lord Mayor's show.

After the MEN had seen and conquered, came the RATS.

A few of them at first: like rodents sneaking up the mooring rope of a good ship to disappear unseen into the hold and there to gnaw out her very guts.

Then more of them, and more until they became a separate colony and by reason of their numbers gained the confidence to come out into the open.

Now in their human form they trade on a credit they have done nothing to earn. What was conceded as a token of respect they demand as a right and when an occasion calls for courage only their blanched pallor indicates they are white.

Some of them hold posts and some are responsible posts. But if you judged every man's importance by the angle of his nose you wouldn't think much of His Majesty after all!

Some of them lose posts and the number of these too, may soon form a Colony for they are augmented by the riff-raff failures who have always drifted from Port to Port in the Far East, just scum on a good beverage. Hongkong is a good prey for palefaced parasites and one day it will be all scum and no head to the drink. Reasonable men recognise that the Colony is going to have a taste of the unpleasant potion that an inscrutable Deity is handing round to every nation and when budgets waver and confidence has to be stiffened, there is no room for rats.

UNITED STATES OF CHINA

CHANG HSUEH-LIANG'S DREAM

Stockholm, Oct. 2. In an interview granted to the "Dagens Nyheter," Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, who is now staying in the Haga Palace of Prince Gustav Adolph, declared his aim is the unification of China. He added he would like China to have a Constitution resembling that of the United States with the centralisation of national defence and foreign affairs, but with autonomy of the provinces.

LEASE OF OYSTER BED.

A THRIVING INDUSTRY IN THE NEW TERRITORIES

A native of the New Territories, one Tang Chun-yan, has rented a section of the sea-bed at Yung Long Bay, near Lung Kwu Tan, for the rearing and breeding of oysters.

The bed, with an area of 4.88 acres, was yesterday put up for bids in the District Office, Tai-po, and was secured by Tang, who has entered into a 21-year lease, with a Crown rental fixed at \$25.50.

Government fostering of this thriving industry in the New Territories is embodied in a special condition attached to the agreement stipulating that the bed is to be used solely for the purpose of oyster cultivation.

RADIO BROADCAST

S.S. CORFU-BAND FROM THE STUDIO

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European programme.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.55 p.m. Variety.

Orchestra—A Night at the Hungaria. Colombo with the Tzigane Orch.

Vocal Duet—The New Moon—Lover, Come Back to Me.

Vocal Duet—The Wedding of the Painted Doll.

Layton and Johnston. 5402.

Octet—Putting the Clock Back.

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet. DX68.

Vocal—Australian Yodel.

Vocal—Highland Yodel.

Harry Torrant. MR940.

Band—Soldiers of the King.

Band—Soldiers in the Park.

B. B. C. Wireless Military Band. DB878.

Humorous Sketch—The Royal and Ancient Game.

Clapham and Dwyer. DB570.

Orchestra—The Land of Smiles—You Are My Heart's Delight.

Orchestra—The Land of Smiles—Patiently Smiling.

Albert Sandler and His Orchestra. DB523.

Song—Only my Song.

Song—Her Name is Mary.

Charles Kullman (Tenor). DB1000.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.30-9.30 p.m. Orchestra.

Mephato Valse (Liszt).

Orchestra of the Brussels Royal Conservatoire. DX110.

In a Chinese Temple Garden.

(Kotelbey).

Albert W. Kotelbey's Concert Orchestra. 1959.

Die Meistersinger—Overture (Wagner).

Bruno Walter and Symphony Orchestra. DX86.

8.30-9 p.m. Concert Items.

Octet—Scene de Ballet (de Berlioz, arr. Sear).

Octet—Second Movement from "Symphonie Pathétique" (Tchaikowsky).

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet. 9825.

Song—My Dearest Heart (Sullivan).

Song—A Summer Night (Marzials and Goring Thomas).

Doris Vane (Soprano). DX71.

Violin Solo—Serenade—Millions D'Arlequin (Drige, arr. Woodhouse).

Violin Solo—Serenade (Schubert).

Albert Sandler. DB563.

Song—Carrying On (Bury and Kings).

Song—Old Father Thames (Wallace and O'Hogan).

Raymond Newell (Baritone).

9-10 p.m. From the Studio.

Selections by The S.S. Corfu Band conducted by Bandmaster A. H. Guyatt.

Programme.

1. March—Great Little Army (Alford).

2. Selection—Merry Widow (Lehar).

3. Suite—Indian Love Lyrics (Wood-Tinden).

4. Violin Solo—Solveig's Song (Grieg).

5. Fox Trot—Stormy Weather.

6. Tango—Just One More Dance.

7. Fox Trot—Have You Ever Been Lonely.

8. Fox Trot—Darkness on the Delta.

10-10.30 p.m.

A relay from Daventry of Eugene Pini and His Tango Orchestra.

Olga Alexeeva (Soprano). Should reception prove satisfactory, this relay will be continued to 11 p.m.

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CLUB MAKE ONE CHANGE FOR TO-MORROW

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FANLING GOLF

STARTING TIMES FOR THREE DAYS

The following are the starting times over the Old Course at Fanling for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday next.

SUNDAY.

Old Course.

28 a.m.	K. S. Morrison, W. H. E. Thomas
32 "	A. D. Humphreys, F. A. Redmond
36 "	R. S. J. Paterson, C. B. Robertson
40 "	H. T. Phillips, I. Allison
44 "	A. E. Thompson, T. Sparshott
48 "	H. H. Mundy, J. McKnight
52 "	G. W. Tohmle, D. J. Mackle
56 "	F. J. Bond, F. A. Merry
60 "	H. H. Pethick, J. W. Mayhew
64 "	L. B. Holmes, D. M. Richards
68 "	G. Milne, A. McKellar
72 "	J. F. Wright, D. Ellis
76 "	F. Austin, P. S. Grant
80 "	J. B. Ross, J. C. McGown
84 "	W. J. Key, W. A. Stewart
88 "	A. Kidd, J. Robinson
92 "	S. A. Slep, W. A. Weight
96 "	D. Davies, W. F. Kerr
100 "	H. N. Williamson, N. K. Littlejohn
104 "	A. Webster, R. P. Shaw
108 "	H. P. Bailey, G. T. May
112 "	R. C. Webb, H. S. Forster
116 "	L. M. S. Lloyd, J. H. McElney

MONDAY.

Old Course.

28 a.m.	D. Davies, W. F. Kerr
32 "	H. P. Sommers, A. E. Gerondal
36 "	M. N. Cochrane, G. T. May
40 "	J. W. Mayhew, R. A. Rodgers
44 "	I. Allison, D. Ellis
48 "	H. A. Jardine, W. H. B. Rigg
52 "	W. J. S. Key, N. K. Littlejohn
56 "	F. H. Crappell, R. W. Gardiner
60 "	H. M. McLay, J. W. C. Bonnar
64 "	T. F. Edwards, F. A. Merry

TUESDAY.

Old Course.

28 a.m.	H. H. Pethick, J. W. Mayhew
32 "	W. A. Stewart, C. W. F. Booker
36 "	F. A. Redmond, C. A. Middlemiss
40 "	R. C. Webb, G. T. May
44 "	A. E. Gerondal, H. F. Sommers

WOMEN'S HOCKEY.

Hongkong Ladies Practice At Sookumpoo.

A GOOD SHOWING.

Hongkong Ladies held their first practice match at Sookumpoo today and made quite a good showing. A scratch eight-a-side was played under the instruction of Mr. P. J. Barlow, this year's

Club has several new players and with a little more practice will be fielding a strong side. The match was a very little brilliant play, but the absence of players in three ones made the game difficult. Thorpe was good at back, being accurate in hitting. Miss W. who played centre forward, was of the teams was outstanding, as was Miss Wallace who was of the right halves. Another game will be held on Saturday.

Ladies' Practice.

St. Andrew's Club Ladies had first practice match of the season yesterday afternoon on the ground. They were opposed by a scratch St. Andrew's Club and C. men's eleven. The game ended in a draw of one goal each. M. Woolley netted for the ladies.

PRIZE TEAM OF THE YEAR

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are keen, and the forwards really have a fine burst of speed. The team which beat the Club was composed as follows: Peraz Ali, Matab Ali, Lieut. Hobart, Sarza Khan, Lieut. Ravenhill, Sirar Khan, Gnu Khudn Bux, Kishon Singh, Ayn Singh, st Mohamed and L.N. Khudn. If they field the same eleven during the season there will be no victories chalked up against them.



Pole.

SCHOOL AQUATICS.

Excellent Sport By Boys Of King's College.

CLOSE COMPETITION.

The annual swimming sports of King's College were held yesterday afternoon in the College bath, and excellent swimming was witnessed. The enthusiasm shown by the competitors as well as the spectators contributed much to the success of the occasion. Close finishes were the order, especially in the events open to the smaller boys, who vied with their elders in giving of their best. The programme was quite a long one, and was divided into three groups, with individual championships in each section. The prizes will be distributed at a later date, after the arrival of the four representatives which the College has sent to the Nanking sports meeting.

THE RESULTS.

The results of yesterday's contests were as follows:

Group A.

Three lengths free style.—1. Lau Po-hei. 2. Lau Po-tung. 3. Heung Yu-nuen.
Four lengths breast stroke.—1. Kung Yin-chick. 2. Ma Tat-ting. 3. Un Se-man.
Eight lengths free style.—1. Lau Po-hei. 2. Cheung Tam-woon. 3. Heung Yu-nuen.
Three lengths back stroke.—1. Lau Po-hei. 2. Wu Hei-lak. 3. Ng Cheung-fai.
Diving.—1. Cheung Tam-woon. 2. Sin Kin-leung. 3. Lam On-peng.
Long Plunge.—1. Leung Tat-sing. 2. Wong On-chi. 3. Wu Hei-lak.
Interclass Relay.—1. 8A.
Individual Championship.—Lau Po-hei.

Group B.

Three lengths free style.—1. Sam Ka-mong. 2. Chau Wing-chin. 3. Ting Siu-sang.
Two lengths breast stroke.—1. Ting Siu-sang. 2. Ma Yat-kwong. Cheung Wai-sing.
Three lengths back stroke.—1. Yuen Chi-kwok. 2. Chau Wing-chuen. 3. George Wong.
Six lengths free style.—1. Sam Ka-mong. 2. Chau Wing-chin. 3. Ting Siu-sang.
Diving.—1. Ha Wing-wai. 2. Ma Yat-kwong. 3. Cheung Yuen-wa.
Long Plunge.—1. Chan Tak-chin. 2. Wu Chi-tak. 3. Chi Sheung-ye.
Interclass Relay.—1. 6E.
Individual Championship.—Sam Ka-mong.

Group C.

Two lengths free style.—1. Lam Ka-cheung. 2. Chan Shin-tak. 3. Wong Ho-wa.
Two lengths Breast Stroke.—1. Lau Kai-ming. 2. So Chup-wing. 3. Chan Shin-tak.
Four Lengths Free Style.—1. Lam Ka-cheung. 2. Lau Kai-ming. 3. Ho Hon.
Diving for Plates.—1. Yuen Wing-sam. 2. Chan Yuk-lam. 3. Shi Man-leung.
Inter Class Relay.—1. 7A.
Individual Championship Lam Ka-cheung.

Beginners' Race.

Two Lengths Free Style.—1. Chan Siu-kai. 2. Lau Chak-wing. 3. Wong Tai-man.
Two One Length Breast Stroke.—1. Lau Chak-wing. 2. Wong Fai-man. 3. Chin Sin-kul.
Six Lengths Scout Race.—1. Leung Noh-sung. 2. Wong Shiu-cheung. 3. Sin Chi-wing.
Ambulance Race.—1. Na Yat-kwong. 2. Leung Kok-chun. 3. Lau ye-hon.

THE CESAREWITCH.

Call-Over For Big Newmarket Race.

GUISCARD FAVOURED.

London, Oct. 5.

The call-over for the Cesarewitch found Guiscard favoured to-day at 7/1, with Ximenes second best.

The following is the list:
7/1 Guiscard (t. and o.)
10/1 Ximenes (t. and o.)
12/1 Nitschkin (o.) 100/8 (t.)
100/8 Negro (t. and o.)
20/1 Loosetrife (o.) 25/1 (t.)
20/1 Statesmen (o.)
20/1 Sandals (o.)
22/1 Benafiero (t. and o.)
25/1 Roi de Paris (o.)
28/1 Dick Turpin (t. and o.)
33/1 Lucky Patch (t. and o.)
33/1 Sanguinolo (o.) 40/1 (t.)
33/1 Sanity (o.) 40/1 (t.)
33/1 Eugene (o.)
40/1 Erain (o.) 45/1 (t.)
40/1 Chelmarsh (o.) 50/1 (t.)
40/1 Blandearna (o.)
40/1 Sandhole (o.)
40/1 Whinthe-Law (o.)
50/1 Fox-earth (o.)
50/1 Serum (o.)
50/1 Trustee (o.)
60/1 Boldero (o.)
60/1 Daytel (o.)

—Reuter.

C.B.A. CRICKET TEAM.

The team to represent the Central British Association against the Central British School in a friendly cricket match at King's Park to-morrow at 2.30 p.m. has been slightly revised. The team will now be as follows: F. Angus, R. Blyth, S. MacNider, N. Whitley, A. Pole, E. S. D. Whitely, G. Gurevitch, F. Filmer, G. Carr, E. MacNider and D. Smith. Reserve, J. E. Wilson.

SERIOUS CHARGE

TWO MEN ACCUSED OF MANSLAUGHTER

Lower Court proceedings were commenced before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon against two men, Tsang Wu-tai and Liu Chun, who were charged with manslaughter as a result of a street fight in Hunghom on September 20.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, appeared for the prosecution, with Detective Inspector Chester Woods in charge of investigations.

It was alleged that about 10.45 p.m. on that date Liu Chun, the second defendant, living in Jin Heung Street, alleged he saw a man stealing taro-roots from a garden nearby. He raised the alarm, and several men set upon the alleged thief.

An eye-witness of the assault would say that the two defendants were among four men who made the attack. The first defendant was alleged to have used an iron drill while the second defendant used his fists.

When a policeman came upon the scene, the four men bolted. The assaulted man, it was stated, got up and ran away, but he had only gone about 80 yards when he collapsed, and later died. Shok Choi, a boiler maker, said that on the night in question he went out for some tea together with a friend named Wong Po. They left the tea-house about 10.20 p.m. and walked back towards Ha Heung Street. When he got there, he saw four men attacking another at the other end of the street. They were holding him up and beating him. He recognised the four men as Tsang Wu-tai, Tsang Wa-shing, Lui Chun and Leung Ting.

Tsang Wu-tai and Tsang Wa-shing had iron drills in their hands, but the other two were empty-handed. A policeman came along and the four men bolted. The assaulted man got up and ran away, but collapse after running a few yards. Witness stated that there was a lamp in the street at the time, and he could recognise the four men. The hearing was adjourned until this afternoon.

When a policeman came upon the scene, the four men bolted. The assaulted man got up and ran away, but collapse after running a few yards.

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PORTUGAL'S DAY.

ANNIVERSARY RECEPTION AT CLUB DE LUSITANO

On the occasion of the twenty-third anniversary of the establishment of the Portuguese Republic, a reception was held by the Vice Consul for Portugal, Mr. P. B. Botelho, at the Club de Lusitano yesterday.

The guests, who included Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, Acting Chief Justice, Capt. Walker, A.D.C. to His Excellency the Governor, Capt. Meyers, A.D.C. to His Excellency the General Officer Commanding, and Captain Porter, Personal Secretary to the Commodore, Naval Establishment, were received by Mr. and Mrs. Botelho.

The toast to His Majesty the King was proposed by Mr. Botelho, while His Honour, Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, proposed the toast to the President of the Portuguese Republic.

Among the many guests present were: Capt. Walker, Capt. Meyers, Capt. Porter, the Rt. Rev. H. Valtorta, Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong, His Honour Mr. Justice J. R. Wood, Mr. Douglas Jenkin, Consul General for the United States, Mr. de la Prade, Consul General for France, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E., Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tickle, Hon. Sir H. E. Pollock, Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, Hon. Dr. R. R. Kotewall, C.M.G., Sir W. W. Hornell, Kt., Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., C.B.E., Dr. F. M. G. Ozerio (President of the Club de Lusitano), Mr. L. D'Almada, Jr., Mr. Philip Jacks, Mr. M. Figuerido, Mr. P. M. da Silva, Mr. C. A. D'Almada, Mr. E. M. Hall, Mr. Ho Leung, Mr. M. H. Lo, Mr. S. W. T'sao, Mr. F. M. L. Soares, Mr. E. Grossman, Maj. H. B. L. Dowling, Mr. T. N. Chau, Mr. H. Owen Hughes, Mr. A. K. Mackenzie and Mr. J. Hennessy Seth.

SPORTING PEER DIES IN LONDON

VISCOUNT COWDRAY

London, Oct. 5.
Viscount Cowdray, of Midhurst, died to-day at the age of 61.—Reuter.

Lord Cowdray was the second Viscount of Midhurst. He was a prominent parliamentarian and contested the Rutland seat in the Liberal interests in 1906; from 1906 to 1918 he was the Member of Parliament for Epsom.

A keen huntsman, Lord Cowdray was joint Master of the Cowdray Hounds. The heir to the title is his only son, the Hon. Westman John Churchill Pearson.

CHINA NEED FOR REFORM

ADMIRAL SIR HOWARD KELLY'S ADVICE

London, Oct. 5.

Intensive development is taking place in China, declared Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, late Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, when he addressed a gathering in London to-day on Great Britain's interests in the Far East.

He said that China was passing from a state of absolute autocracy to the principles of democracy, for which the people were not prepared.

There could be no hope of a united China until there was some semblance of a common language there, he went on. Settled currency and proper communication were further vital steps towards national solidarity, Admiral Kelly asserted.

Chinese Ministers, he informed his hearers, were not altogether masters in their own house, so to speak; the pressure of public opinion frequently prevented their doing the things of which they themselves approved.

The future of China lay, first, in the securing of security of life, property and capital. It was essential to obtain a settled Government. The only form which at present would suit China, he said, was one on a federation basis, with full autonomy for the provinces and districts.—Reuter.

PRESENTATIONS.

POLICE OFFICIALS AT FAREWELL TEA

Presentations of a clock to Sirdar Sahib Mohinder Singh, A.S.P., and an attache case to Mr. Bishen Singh, of the Education Department and formerly of the Police Force, were made at the Gloucester Building yesterday afternoon, at a farewell tea party given in their honour by the Inspector General of Police (Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, C.M.G.) and Superintendents of the Hongkong Police Force. A presentation was also made from the Indian contingent.

The two officers are retiring from the Government service after nearly 34 years' activity.

The Inspector General and Chief Justice Mr. J. R. Wood spoke in eulogistic terms of the splendid work done by Messrs. Mohinder Singh and Bishen Singh, and both wished them happiness and long life in their well-earned retirement.

WORLD CRISIS

A WAY OUT

By FREDERICK COPE, A.M.I.E.E.

Mr. Cope's striking articles on the world economic crisis which were recently published in the Hongkong Telegraph are now available in pamphlet form.

One of the features, repaying study, is the close similarity between the plan of reform suggested by this local writer, and certain aspects of the Roosevelt recovery programme. The author's ideas are naturally far too advanced for active promotion at the present time, but they are particularly interesting in view of the fact that President Roosevelt, in striking out on a path of his own, has travelled in the same direction.

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Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

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The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 o'clock Noon on both days. Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

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The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 per day including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price.

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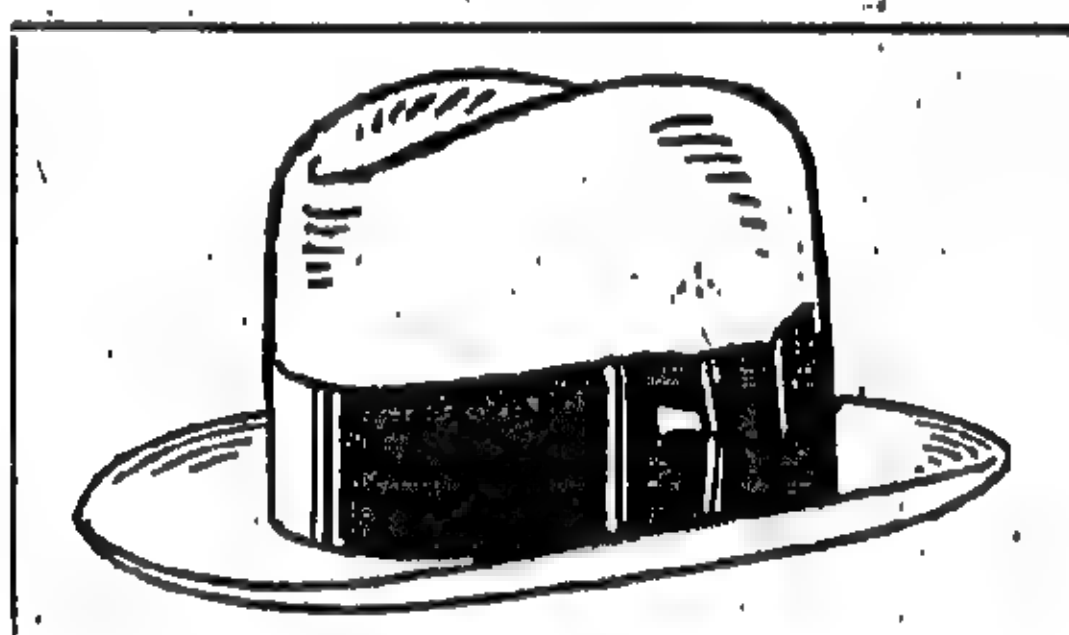
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET STEADY

According to Messrs. Swan Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was steady yesterday. Business done 1,600,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's market: The market closed irregularly lower due to lack of incentive and traders being disappointed over an anticipated bullish Washington statement rumoured as concerning the monetary and debt situations.

Brokers' Loans were reported at \$709,000,000 a decrease of \$10,000,000 from last week's figure of \$814,000,000. Our New York Office Cable (This Morning)

Stocks: The market was dull and moderately reactionary, and a tentative increase of long positions is favoured. Wheat: Lack of trade is largely responsible for the decline. Cotton: Due to the absence of yesterday's speculative interest, hedge offerings were not well absorbed. The increasing mention of stabilization crop report are probably encouraging a waiting attitude, otherwise the market is quiet and featureless. Silver: The market closed quiet and steady. Cable received at 11:40 p.m. during our Night Service "Monetary inflation apparently shelved."

Dow-Jones averages Oct. 4 Oct. 5
30 Industrials 98.00 98.05
20 Rails 42.83 42.11
20 Utilities 26.34 26.18
40 Bonds 83.80 84.00

Alaska Juneau Mining Co.	26 1/2	27
Allied Chemical & Dye	136 1/2	136 1/2
American Can	91	92
American & Foreign Power	10 1/2	10 1/2
Amer. & For. Pow.	20 1/2	20 1/2
American Metal	47 1/2	47 1/2
American Smelting	120 1/2	120 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	86 1/2	86 1/2
American Tobacco	23 1/2	23 1/2
American Water-works	23 1/2	23 1/2
Anacosta Copper	17 1/2	17 1/2
Atlas Corporation	18	18 1/2
Auburn Automobile	50 1/2	50 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	28 1/2	28 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	35 1/2	35 1/2
Borden Company	23 1/2	23 1/2
Borg Warner	16 1/2	16 1/2
Cannadian Pacific Railway	14 1/2	14 1/2
Caso, J.I.	70 1/2	70 1/2
Chano National Bank	23 1/2	23 1/2
Chesapeake Corpn.	39 1/2	39 1/2
Chrysler Corporation	46 1/2	44 1/2
Columbia Gas & Electric	15 1/2	14 1/2
Consolidated Gas of New York	42 1/2	42 1/2
Cumulative Oil	17 1/2	17 1/2
Cons. Products	89 1/2	89 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	14 1/2	14 1/2
Du Pont de Nemours	78 1/2	78 1/2
Eastman Kodak	70 1/2	70 1/2
Electric Bond & Share	18 1/2	19 1/2
General Electric	30 1/2	30 1/2
General Foods	35 1/2	35 1/2
General Motors	31 1/2	30 1/2
Sigmar	37	37
Gold Dust	21 1/2	20 1/2
Goodyear Tyre & Rubber	36 1/2	35 1/2
International Cement	20 1/2	20 1/2
International Harvester	38 1/2	38 1/2
International Nickel	20 1/2	20 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	14	13 1/2
Johns Manville	55	55
Kennecott Copper	23 1/2	23 1/2
Lehman Corporation	69	69 1/2
Liggett & Myers 'B'	98 1/2	98 1/2
Loew's Inc.	33 1/2	33 1/2
Lorillard P.	21 1/2	21 1/2
McIntyre Porcupine Mines Ltd.	40 1/2	40 1/2
Montgomery Ward	21	21
National City Bank	25 1/2	25 1/2
National Distillers	94	93 1/2
New York Central	40 1/2	40 1/2
North American Company	10 1/2	10 1/2
Owens-Illinois Glass	78 1/2	78 1/2
Pacific Gas & Electric	20 1/2	21 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	30 1/2	30 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	16 1/2	16 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco	51	51
Sears Roebuck	42	41

LONDON STOCK PRICES

MARKET GENERALLY FIRMER

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters. The market—Brighter sentiment has prevailed. Most sections are firmer.

Chinese Bonds	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
4 1/2% Bonds 1930 (Eng. Iss.)	£100 1/4	£100 1/4
4 1/2% Loan 1908	£ 86 1/2	£ 89 1/2 ad
5% Loan 1912	£ 63	£ 65
5% Recorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 80 1/2	£ 89
5% Bonds 1920-47	£ 80	£ 88
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 45	£ 45
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 21-20	£ 21-20
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 17-22	£ 17-22
5% Shai-Hangchow - Ningpo	£ 85-89	£ 85-89
5% Honan Rly.	£ 12	£ 12
5% Hukwang Rly. 1911	£ 82	£ 83
5% Lung T'ing U. Hail Rly. 1913	£ 11	£ 11 1/2

Foreign Bonds and Banks	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
German 7% Int. Loan 1924	77	79 1/2
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 80 1/2	£ 81
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 90 1/2	£ 91

Industrials and Breweries	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Associated Elec. Industries	20/0	20/0
Brit.-Amer. Tob.	110/10 1/2	110/10 1/2
Chinese Eng. & Min.	80/-	80/-
J. & P. Coats	61/8	61/8
Courtaulds	39/10 1/2	39/10 1/2
Distillers	87/-	87/-
Dunlop Rubber	23/8	23/8
Everready	45/6	45/6
General Elec.	94/6	95/-
Guinness	20/0	20/0
Impl. Chem. Industries	111/-	111/3
Impl. Tobacco	27/0	27/0
Int. Tea Stores	21 1/2	21 1/2
Internat. Nickel	32/-	32/-
Pinchin Johnson	38/-	38/-
Turner & Newall	23/0	24/-
Unilever	23/0	24/-

Miscellaneous	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Anglo-Dutch	19/-	19/-
Burma Corps	14 1/2	14 1/2
Canadian Pacific Rly.	14 1/2	15
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	18/0	18/0
Tropen Minos	18/0	18/0
Langkato Estates	28/-	28/-
London Tin	14/8	16/-
Rubber Trusts	26/-	26/8
Shai Elec. Constr.	60/-	60/-
Van Ryn Deep	40/7 1/2	40/-

Oils	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Anglo-Persian Oil	48/0	40/4 1/2
Burmah Oil	80/8	80/10 1/2
Royal Dutch	£ 22 1/2	£ 22 1/2
Shell Trans. and Trud.	50/8	50/8

Shell Union	8 1/2	8 1/2
Southern California	10 1/2	10 1/2
Edison	10 1/2	10 1/2
Socoma Petroleum Corporation	12 1/2	12 1/2
Standard Gas & Electric	11 1/2	11 1/2
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	40 1/2	41 1/2
Sterling Products	58 1/2	59
Studebaker Corporation	5 1/2	5 1/2
Texas Corporation	27 1/2	27 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	38 1/2	38
Union Carbide & Carbon	45	44
United Aircraft & Transport	32 1/2	33 1/2
United Gas Improvement	10 1/2	10 1/2
U.S. Rubber	17 1/2	17 1/2
U.S. Steel	48 1/2	48 1/2
Universal Leaf Tobacco	44 1/2	44 1/2
Westinghouse E. & M.	37 1/2	37
Woolworth	40	39 1/2

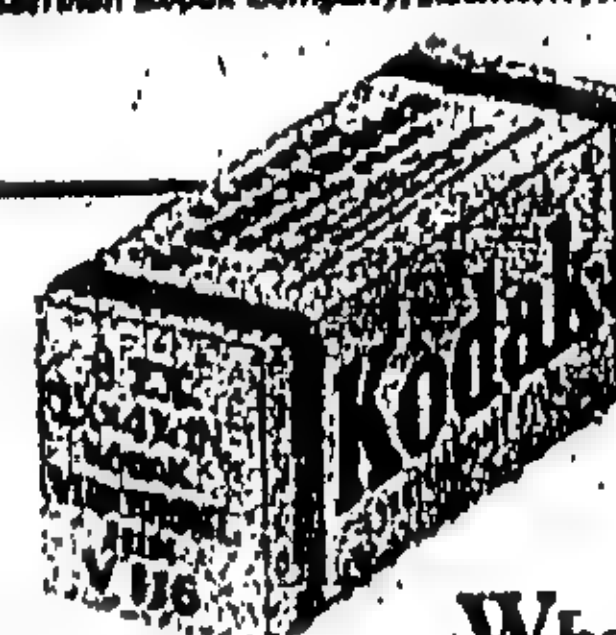
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COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

Cotton	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Closing Range		
October	9.65-9.65	9.45-9.45
December	9.87-9.88	9.66-9.67
January	9.92-9.92	9.74-9.74
March	10.11-10.11	9.90-9.91
May	10.28-10.28	10.05-10.05
July	10.43-10.43	10.20-10.21
Spot	9.00	9.70

Wheat	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Closing Range		
Oct.	0.00	0.01
Dec.	0.04	0.04
Mar.	0.04	0.04
July	0.04	0.04

Silver	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
October	40.40	40.18
December	41.10	40.80
May	41.50	41.20

EXCHANGE RATES

	Oct. 4.	Oct. 5.
Paris	78.25/32	78 1/2
Geneva	15.80	15.80
Berlin	12.93 1/2	12.93 1/2
Helsingfors	220 1/2	220 1/2
Oslo	10.90	10.90
Athens	500	500
Milan	58.11/10	58 1/2
Buenos Aires	45 1/2	45 1/2
Shanghai	1/5.7/16	13.7/10
New York	4.74 1/2	4.74 1/2
Amsterdam	7.63 1/2	7.63 1/2
Vienna	28 1/2	28 1/2
Frankfurt	103 1/2	104
Madrid	30.27/32	30.16/16
Bucharest	522 1/2	520
Hongkong	1/5 1/2	1/5.3/10
Bombay	22.14 1/2	22.14 1/2
Stockholm	19.40	19.40
Lisbon	102 1/2	102 1/2
Bombay	1/6.5/64	1/6.5/64
Yokohama	1/2.3/10	1/2.3/10
Montevideo	37	37
Montreal	4.85 1/2	4.84
Silver (spot)	18.5/16	18 1/2
Silver (forward)	19.7/16	19 1/2
War Loan	101 1/2	101 1/2

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PACIFISTS MEET IN SECRET

Anti-War Delegates Hear Chinese Views

Shanghai, Oct. 3.
How delegates from the World Committee Against War succeeded, despite the official ban, in holding on Saturday at an undisclosed Shanghai address a secret conference of some 60 representatives from various parts of China, after a stealthy overnight assembly and a vigil by the light of candles stuck in bottles, was described in a lengthy statement to the press last night by Lord Marley, who took the chair at the meeting.

In face of the local authorities' attitude, said Lord Marley, it had been found necessary to abandon the international conference representing all Pacific countries, though a conference of United States representatives took place in New York on September 29. Saturday's meeting, which was "perfectly legal," had to be kept secret because of the danger of arrest undergone by all Chinese attending. Between 50 and 100 who had attended the meeting in support of the Anti-War Conference had already been arrested, and they heard that one had been shot, declared Lord Marley, while torture had been applied to others in order to extract names and addresses.

Assembled By Dark.

So that the presence of Europeans should not attract attention, the foreign delegates proceeded to the meeting place by dark the night before the conference, arriving one at a time, he himself proceeding there by a circuitous route, continued Lord Marley. In an empty room they waited for early morning, when the conference started. Those present included trade unionists, students, university professors, and an official delegate from the 10th Route Army. No applause was allowed, and so as not to betray the presence of the assembly.

In a review of the situation in China, Mme. Sun Yat-sen alleged that the National Government was being aided by foreign loans and armaments on condition that these were used in campaigns to crush Sovietised regions which were "probably the least badly governed part of the country." Spokesmen from Manchoukuo then described warlike preparations by the Japanese on the Russian border, where White Russians were said to have been employed in continuous raids into Soviet territory. Two representatives from Sovietised areas also spoke, after which the meeting adopted a manifesto declaring that imperialist powers were ranging their forces round the Pacific for dismemberment of China and war against Russia, and that the Kuomintang had betrayed the Chinese people. Resolutions were passed against "anti-Communist terror," the granting of loans and sending of warships to China for use to continue internal warfare, and the use of Manchoukuo as a base for attack on the Soviet Union. The "Fascist terror" in Germany was also condemned on the grounds of the risk of a similar tyranny arising in China.

Kuomintang Attacked.

Lord Marley went on to allege that Kuomintang leaders in the pay of Japan had sold cotton, from the American loan, to Japan at considerably lower rates than they might have got, and that \$16,000,000 of the proceeds of this loan had been spent on aerodromes for "internal warfare" instead of for education and reconstruction. As punishment for showing sympathy with Red troops, he said, 3,000 men of the 19th Route Army had been buried alive, and 1,000 thrown overboard from river transports.

It is now decided that all the foreign delegates will leave together, probably tomorrow by the Askaniaden. At Vladivostok, according to a cable received yesterday, Lord Marley will be met by Mrs. Medel, the American whose letters were alleged to have been intercepted by Japanese, and who is to take him to Birobidjan. Mrs. Medel has helped to organise the collection of funds in America for the Jewish settlement in this Siberian town. Later Lord Marley will join his colleagues in Paris.

Dr. Martenex, of Belgium, told the press that all the foreigners arrived with different views, but had reached the conclusion that the Chinese Government was "so nearly Fascist in its cruelty and injustice that if it is a question of choosing between a Fascist or a Soviet Government, we would choose a Soviet one as the better of the two."

FOR THE LOVE OF A GIRL

MEN FIGHT WITH AXES & KNIVES

FOUR KILLED

Belgrade.
A pitched battle with axes and knives in which four were killed, fifteen gravely injured, and scores wounded, had taken place in Bosnia. It was to determine who should marry a village beauty of the Banja Luka district, named Mara Kap.

When the beautiful Mara Kap leaped from her window and, knife in hand, ran to her lover Vasa shouting "I am yours," she started one of the most bloody affrays Bosnia has known since the Great War.

Richest of the girls of the Banja Luka district, this 17-years-old beauty had already been the innocent cause of much bloodshed. All the young men of seven villages wanted to marry her. But she herself wanted only Vasa Radokovitch, a poor but strikingly handsome young widower.

Her parents refused to consent to this match and found her a rich young farmer, Dragomir Privitch, from a different village. When the day came for the betrothal, Mara publicly refused Dragomir, saying she would marry Vasa or no one.

MARA TO THE RESCUE.

Dragomir then collected a band of some 60 young friends, all armed with axes, knives, staves and agricultural implements, and set out to attack his rival. But Mara heard of this and running by field paths warned Vasa.

Vasa also gathered a large group of friends, armed hastily and marched to Mara's house. The rival "armies" met before the girl's house. After a parley it was decided that Mara should be asked to decide which of the men she should marry. Just then Mara appeared at the window, a butcher's knife in her hand. When asked to choose she jumped from the window, ran to Vasa and putting herself at his side shouted proudly "I am yours."

The enraged Dragomir then charged with his fifty men. Mara stood side by side with Vasa, trying to shield him from blows and using her knife with good effect. The battle raged for half-an-hour before a patrol of gendarmes arrived and separated the combatants.

MORTALLY WOUNDED.

Vasa was found to be mortally wounded, with axe wounds on the head and back, three of his friends are on the point of death, 15 youths are in hospital with severe injuries and dozens of others are hiding their wounds in their own houses for fear of arrest. Mara was almost the only combatant uninjured.

When Mara heard that Vasa would die she tried to hang herself. Found in time, she tried later to cut her throat—but only wounded herself badly. She swears, however, that at all costs she will not marry Dragomir, who was seriously but not fatally injured, and will kill him and herself if her parents insist on trying to make her do so.—*Reuter*

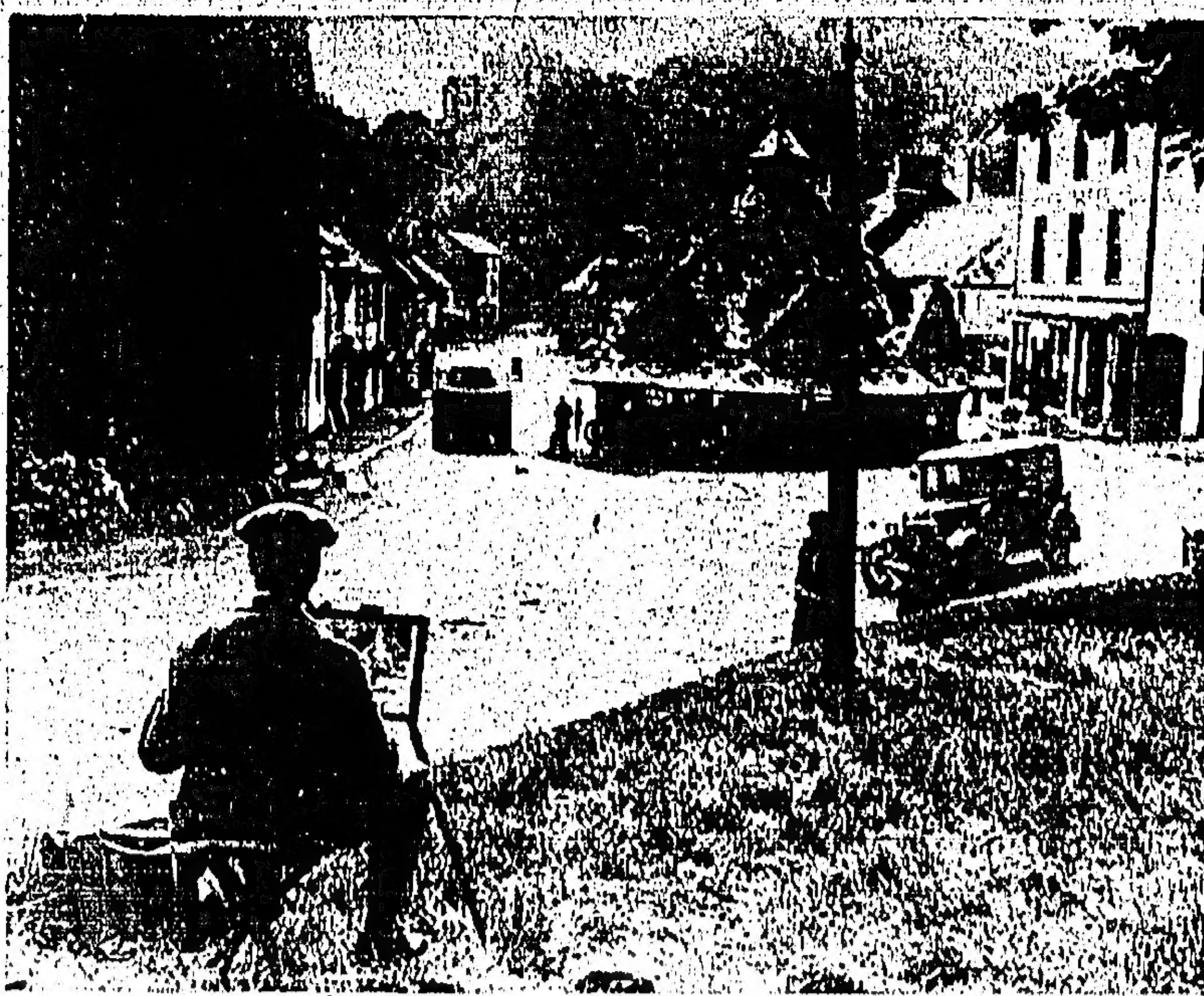
SCORES OF DEAD

BUBONIC PLAGUE IN NORTH SPREADS

Dairen, Oct. 2.
The death toll is mounting in North Manchuria as a result of the epidemic of bubonic plague, and according to the Hygiene Bureau of the South Manchuria Railway, over 200 persons died in the Nungang and about 130 in the Tungling Area. The Tungling district has also been very hard hit. In Chuchintzu, which has a population of 250, forty persons have already died, while the plague has practically wiped out the village of Malinyingtzu, killing 34 of the 43 inhabitants there. The epidemic has now reached Ruyintala, across the Liao River. The disease is most widespread in the Saupinkai-Tonnan area, where between four and five hundred persons are down with the plague.

EARTHQUAKE IN SOUTH CALIFORNIA.

Los Angeles, Oct. 2.
All the houses have been shaken at Los Angeles by a violent seismic tremor which occurred in South California up to Santa Barbara. No casualties have been reported so far.



The most painted and photographed spot in Somerset—and possibly in Britain—is the Old Yarn Market in the lovely village of Dunster. Photo shows an artist at work.

SHOULD LABOUR BE RETURNED

Semi-Dictatorial Methods Subject of Dispute

London, Oct. 2.

A fight between two factions of the British Labour Party, one favouring semi-dictatorial methods if and when the Labour Party is returned to power, and the other ardently defending parliamentary authority, is expected to be the feature of the 33rd annual conference of the party which opened here to-day.

Sir Stafford Cripps is the leader of the dictatorial faction and his chief opponents are the leaders of Trades Union Congress, who wield considerable influence in the party.

Sir Stafford and his supporters would pledge the party, when returned to power, to rush an Emergency Powers Act through parliament, authorising the government to impose the full Labour Party "new deal" programme on the country without parliamentary obstruction.

Scores of suggested resolutions submitted by local units of the party, advocating such action, will be before the conference. On the other hand, there are scores of resolutions condemning Fascism and dictatorialism of all descriptions and tending to pledge the party to purely constitutional and parliamentary procedure.

Mr. Henderson's Position

Mr. Arthur Henderson, secretary and treasurer of the party, fresh from his overwhelming victory in the Clay Cross by-election which returned him to parliament, is expected to pour oil on the troubled waters and secure the passage of a compromise resolution.

One resolution submitted deplores Mr. Henderson's prolonged absence from his duties as secretary while he is presiding at the Geneva Disarmament Conference. Other resolutions praise his "invaluable patience and persistence" in the cause of international peace and disarmament. A third deplores his action in meeting Signor Mussolini and Herr Hitler, when he recently toured the European capitals in the interests of the Disarmament Conference.

Equipped as it is with an out-and-out socialist policy, one resolution rather patiently suggests that the name of the party should be changed to the "Socialist Party." Another would rescind previous rulings that barred the Communist Party of Great Britain from affiliation with the Labour Party.

There are 28 separate suggested resolutions on international peace and only six on disarmament. One resolution on war debts and reparations calls for the "repudiation of all debts due by us and the cancellation of all debts due to us."

Various resolutions suggest the adoption of a national minimum wage and legislation to impose shorter working weeks, ranging from thirty to forty hours.—*United Press.*

The receipt of a donation of \$25 from Mr. Fung Kung-un to the Street Sweepers' Fund is acknowledged.

COST OF THE LEAGUE

BRITAIN AND ARREARS

MEASURES URGED AT GENEVA

London, Oct. 5.

In the Budget Commission of the League Assembly to-day, the Financial Secretary to the British Treasury Mr. Horre Belisha, called for the reform of the system whereby members of the League which had failed to pay their contributions to it yet enjoyed all the privileges of membership.

Great Britain he pointed out, alone pays one-tenth of the cost of the League and the British Empire as a whole provides at least one quarter of the League's income.

"The League does not frankly ask us to pay what others do not pay, but it asks us to pay more than would be required if all States paid their subscriptions," he said.

He proposed measures to preclude the continuation of defaults by the States members concerned. The arrears outstanding last December amounted to \$960,000.—*British Wireless.*

DR. KOO'S ATTACK ON JAPAN

CHINESE ATTITUDE "HARMFUL"

Tokyo, Oct. 2.

It was reliably learned to-day that the Foreign Office plans to request reconsideration of the action taken by Dr. Wellington Koo at the General Assembly of the League of Nations on September 29. According to the Foreign Office, Dr. Koo attacked the Japanese attitude toward China before the General Assembly of the League of Nations and the Kellogg peace pact and that the military action in Jehol and northern China ignored the resolution of the League adopted last Spring.

In the opinion of government leaders here, the Chinese attitude at the League meeting is regrettable and harmful to Far Eastern peace and Japan cannot help being suspicious of China's sincerity for better Sino-Japanese relations. The government, therefore, will order Mr. Akira Ariyoshi, Minister to China, to confer with the Nanking Government shortly.—*United Press.*

OFFICERS ENTERTAIN.

EVENING COCKTAIL PARTY AT H.K.V.D.C. QUARTERS

The second of a series of evening cocktail parties, inaugurated by Col. Bird and Officers of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, was held at Volunteer Headquarters yesterday evening. The Pipe Band of the Scottish Company providing the musical entertainment.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., accompanied by Lady Peel and Capt. Walter A.D.C., were among the many guests present. His Excellency was received by Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., Commandant of the Volunteer Corps.

TREASURE OF FAR NORTH

Exploring Hudson Bay Territory

MINERAL WEALTH UNTAPPED

At the present moment a sturdy little ship, the Nascope, is chugging through the waters of Hudson Bay and quietly making history as she goes.

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Following a precedent set some years ago, when it was decided by the Canadian Government to send a patrol steamer annually to the Northern shores of Canada and the islands in the Arctic Circle, which are almost continents in themselves, the Nascope recently left Montreal, and by the time she returns in October she will have covered 12,000 miles.

Aboard her there is Major B. L. McKeand, of the Department of the Interior, who is in charge, and nine other scientists, each specializing in some department of biology, geology, and botany. With them, too, a doctor, who will land at Basfin Island to relieve a medical officer already there, who will continue his lonely and extensive practice for two years, and one or two members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, who will take the place of others on the outpost.

The purpose of the voyage sounds simple enough on paper. It is to visit the settlements and ports and trading centres on the more remote sections of the Hudson Bay coast, to bring relief and supplies to the workers there, and to study plant and native life and mineral occurrences.

LAND OF SECRET RESOURCES.

It is in this last aspect of the work that so much that is romantic lies, for it concerns the exploration of a new country for Canada and the Empire. The entire North-West Territories of Canada, of which the shores of Hudson Bay form a part, cover an area of 1,309,682 square miles, and the population is a mere 9,723.

The land is virtually unexplored. Venturesome trappers, enterprising aviators, and inquiring travellers, prospectors, and engineers have blazed many trails there. The map of the district is reasonably accurate in its outlines. But it is still a land of secret resources.

It is a country where the days are very, very long or very, very short; where continuity of food supplies is at the moment a doubtful matter; where transport facilities make rapid settlement or exploitation impossible, and where life is a mighty adventure and a contest with the raw elements of nature.

But the Nascope's voyage will undoubtedly confirm the impression that for all the superficial barrenness the Territories are a veritable treasure-house upon the soil of which, in course of time, great communities will thrive, through whose hands will pass timber and minerals for the markets of the world.

FOOD SUPPLIES.

Already the question of food supplies has been occupying scientific minds. In the agricultural research laboratories of the Dominion new types of wheat are being evolved which can mature in a shorter space of time than any yet known. Where a man can grow grain for his daily bread there also can he live.

In the great waters of the Mackenzie and elsewhere there are streams which abound in fish, while one of the strangest migrations in history, that of a herd of reindeer into the North-West, on the eve of completion after two years on the move. The animals will provide a nucleus for huge and continuous supplies of some of the most nourishing meat in the world.

To an increasing extent, too, aerial links with the populous towns of the South are being established, and regular air liners will, when the time is ripe, augment the supply of the necessities of life.

Weather conditions, it is true, are severe, but man's capacity for acclimatization is infinite. It is a known fact, moreover, that the rigours of the elements abate over land which is cultivated.

The pursuits of the people too will be more active than sedentary, for winning minerals from the earth is an arduous business, and it is in the mineral resources of these great lands that the nature undoubtedly lies. Already, in the region of the Great Bear Lake, deposits of radium which give promise of being as rich as

ARTIFICIAL BLOOD FOR CATS

KEEPS FELINES ALIVE

Knoxville, Tennessee.

Artificial blood made from cows has kept cats alive at the University of Tennessee.

This artificial blood has no corpuscles, the little packets holding the red materials of blood. Therefore it had been believed that corpuscles are indispensable for the respiration of vertebrate animals. The Tennessee experiments disprove this.

Results of the experiments have just been announced in the magazine "Science." The artificial blood was made of the hemoglobin, the red substance, taken from cows blood and mixed with ringer solution, a liquid containing mineral salts.

Cats which had lost virtually all their own blood received the artificial blood. The report states that there were virtually no corpuscles left in the tiny residue of the cats' natural blood.

"These cats," says the report, "are able to walk, run, see and hear. They are able to jump to the floor from a considerable height, judge distances correctly and make their way about in a normal manner."

"All postural and equilibrium reflexes appear to be normal. When dropped upside down they land on their feet. Respiratory rates are, however, higher in these animals than normal. The show a marked tendency to sleep, but are easily aroused and may become quite active for a brief period, only to lapse into sleep again rather suddenly."

These cats ultimately die. But the reason is not that the red hemoglobin of their artificial blood fails to carry on its respiratory work of delivering oxygen to the body cells.

Instead the deaths come from the red material, escaping from the "blood" because it has no covering, such as the corpuscles furnish, to keep it from getting out of the veins and arteries into other parts of the body.—*Reuter.*

ADOLPH IS NOW SATISFIED

PAYS \$5,000 FOR WIFE'S CLAIMS

Los Angeles, California.

A complete settlement for \$5,000 (\$1,000 at par) of all claims by his wife, Kathryn Carver, in her recent petition for divorce has been approved by Adolph Menjou, the "great lover" of the screen.

The settlement was made at a conference of attorneys representing Miss Carver and Mr. Menjou. The \$5,000 is in addition to \$150,000 (\$30,000) which Mr. Menjou gave Miss Carver in cash and securities last November.

In return for the settlement, Miss Carver agreed to file an amended divorce complaint, eliminating all mention of another woman and merely charging cruelty. She charged in her first complaint that Menjou was too attentive to a New York stage actress.

"I will let the suit go by default," Menjou said, "I do not want to indulge in any recrimination or to bring about unpleasant publicity."—*Reuter.*

those of Africa, were found a year or two ago by accident, and the task of erecting refineries has just been finished.

STAKING THE CLAIMS.

In 1931 silver deposits were found, and by the end of 1932 no fewer than 3,799 claims for minerals of all kinds had been staked out. The number is increasing rapidly; prospectors rush to chosen locations by aeroplane; copper, zinc, lead and nickel "finds" have induced minor but significant migration movements, and the slowly mounting values of the output of the mines in the far away back-blocks reflect the beginnings of a movement which in time will add wealth to the world and encourage men to throw North and still further North the roads and railways which are the essential precursors of modern civilization.

But before the exploitation is possible on a wide commercial scale, the scientist must have his way with his test-tubes and microscopes and elaborate reports. The pioneer with the capital and machinery respects the laboratory expert above all men, and upon the merry little complement of the Nascope the eyes of industry, seeking new outlets and new fields, are at this moment fixed.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

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"King Kong" in the RKO-Radio Picture at the Central Theatre tomorrow, is the ultimate in goose-flesh producing terror. The cold glitter of Dracula's eye made one shiver, but "King Kong" glares with orbs large as a plate. Women screamed when the heavy feet of Frankenstein's monster plodded across the screen, but "King Kong's" tread shakes the earth! The barefaced fangs of Mr. Hyde made one gasp with horror, but "King Kong" eye-teeth are ten inches long and his snarl comes from lips six feet from corner to corner! King Kong's adventures, after he is discovered in a lost jungle make him ruler supreme over the black natives and great dinosaurs from the prehistoric ages that still live on Skull Island. Regularly, he is offered a sacrificial native girl. One day the sacrifice is a white girl, delicate, golden-haired, beautiful.

The beast had never before seen beauty. He is intrigued, curious! Then, because of the tenderness her beauty excites in his strange, wild heart, he fights to the death with a huge winged reptile that tries to carry her to its sky nest, and goes to grips with the greatest of all dinosaurs, the tyrannosaurus.

But the greatest thrills come when "King Kong" is finally captured with gas bombs and taken to New York, where he is displayed to a civilization amazed. This strange, mechanistic world drives him mad. He wants the girl and a getaway. He gets her by amazing procedure of reaching into the fourth story window of her hotel, and snatching her out of bed.

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"The Good Companions." The casting of "The Good Companions" was a matter demanding a vast amount of consideration in order that the right types should be selected for the various characters of the novel and at the same time to ensure that the requisite amount of star value was assured for the film.

Henry Ainley was the first selection, for the important role of Jess Oakroyd. When he fell ill after three weeks of "shooting," the film had to be restarted with Edmund Gwenn in the role of the warm-hearted little Yorkshireman.

The selection of the player for the role of Mrs. Jess Oakroyd was a more difficult matter. It called for a woman, forty-ish, possessing a knowledge of the Yorkshire dialect. There wasn't such a person on the books of any of the film or stage agencies, so Victor Saville, the director, went to Yorkshire to find her. In Huddersfield he was introduced to Mrs. Florence Gregson, the wife of a Yorkshire playwright and actor. Mrs. Gregson acted in her husband's plays. She was (dare we mention it) of the age demanded by the script and she could also speak the necessary dialect. So this solved one of Saville's difficult problems.

The role of Inigo Jollifant was not so difficult to settle as John Gielgud had already created this part in the stage version of Priestley's novel.

The choice for the role of Susie Dan was made in favour of Jessie Matthews. The player filling this role had to have a good singing voice, be able to dance above the average, be able to act, and also understand film technique. Miss Matthews had all these qualifications.

The banjo is not played a great deal these days, and the necessity of getting a player for the role of Morton Mitcham who combined acting ability with musical talent in this direction also presented a problem. Fortunately Percy Parsons stepped into the breach.

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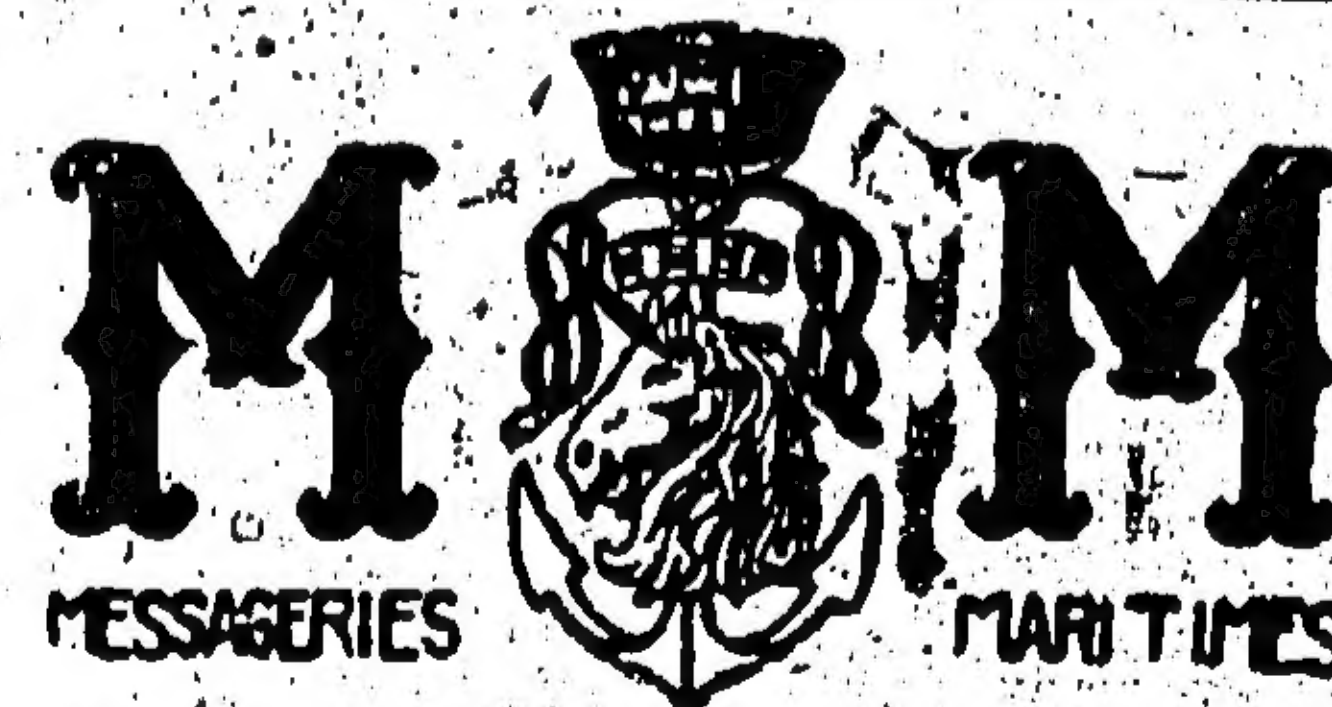
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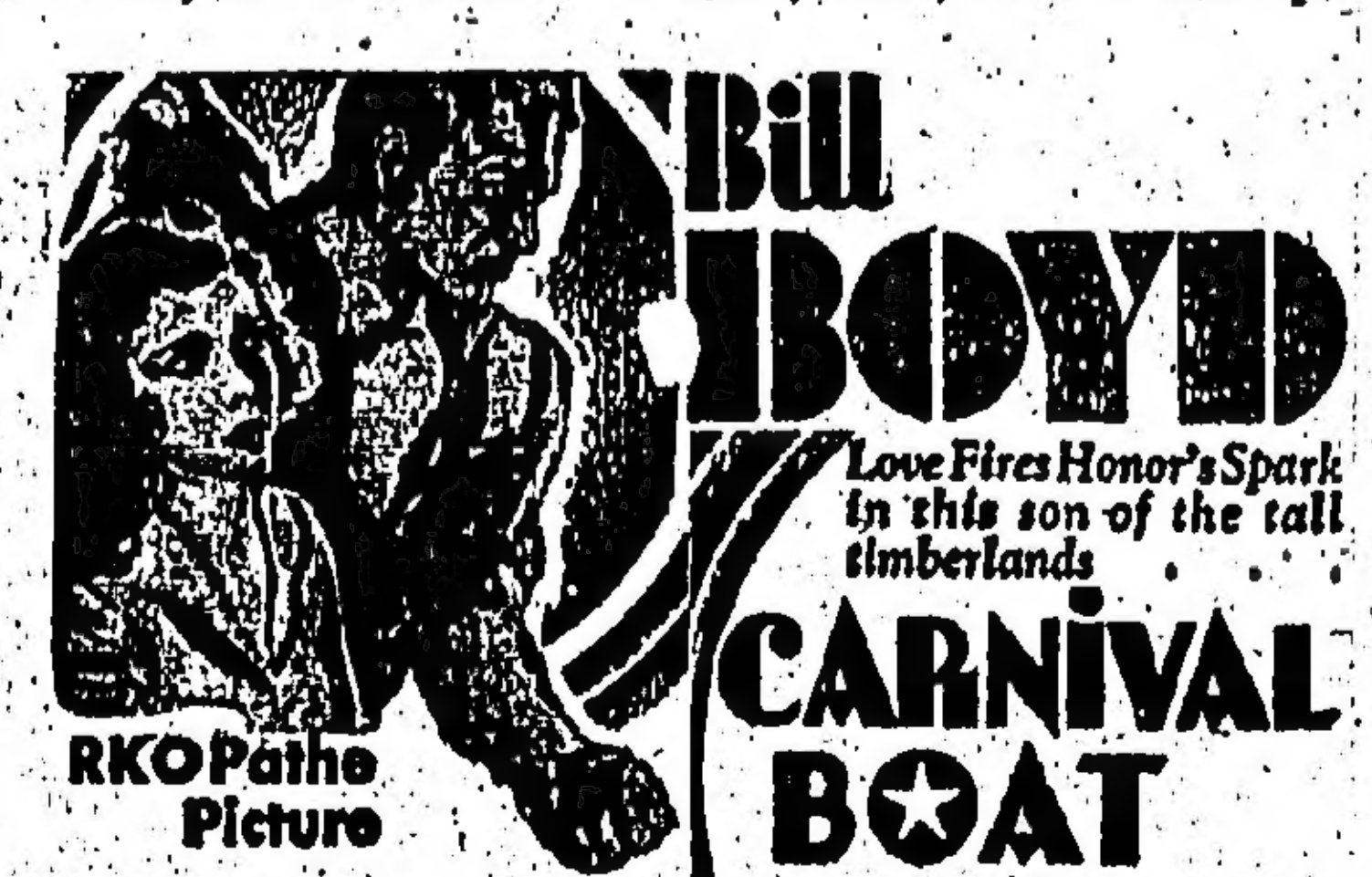
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To-day & To-morrow at 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 p.m.



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CARNIVAL BOAT

SNEAKED ON HIS COLLEAGUES

POLICE STORY IN ASSAULT CASE

Mid Singh and Bachan Singh, two watchmen employed at the Imperial Chemical Industries go-down at Great George Street, made a second appearance before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning, charged with having assaulted another watchman, Dyal Singh.

Detective Sergeant Pitches said that all three men were employed at the Imperial Chemical Industries go-down. Trouble had been brewing for some time past, owing to the alleged sneaking disposition of the complainant, who carried stories about as to the way the two defendants carried out their duties.

On October 2 the complainant made a report to the No. 1 at the go-down, and as a result he was given a letter to the officer in charge of the guards. The defendants got to know about this, and stopped him, and asked him for the letter. He denied he had a letter, and then the defendants asked him to destroy it. Later they had a quarrel, and that night the two defendants lay in wait for him and gave him a beating with sticks.

WHAT HE DESERVED.

Bergant Pitches said that he had asked the officer in charge of the guard to withdraw the three men from the go-down and put them on different jobs. He thought that if they were bound over in substantial bonds, it would prevent further trouble. The complainant had only got something he deserved for sneaking on his comrades.

Mr. Schofield bound all three men in bonds of \$250 each to keep the peace for six months.

BREAK DOWN OF BUS SCHEDULE

COMPANY'S MANAGER FINED

FIRST CASE OF ITS KIND

Said to be the first charge of its kind in Hongkong, Ngan Shing-kwan, the manager of the China Motor Bus Company, was summoned before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning, for having failed to run a bus according to schedule from Blake Pier to the University at 8.35 a.m. on October 2.

Traffic Sergeant McInnis said that no explanation was given. He went to the garage to see whether there was a breakdown on the route, but no such report had been received. He then went to the Company's office and they could give no excuse. People were sitting in the bus at Blake Pier from 8.35 a.m. to 8.50 a.m. During this period, three buses should have run. The regulations at the different termini must have been at fault.

Mr. Schofield imposed a fine of \$50.

CAUSING OBSTRUCTION.

Chief Inspector Marks appeared as complainant in a summons for obstruction against Ng Kwai-sang, the driver of a private car.

The Inspector said that the car was parked outside No. 56 Calne Road, obstructing buses coming to a halt at the stopping place. There were three men in the car, and he asked them to move on, but they said that the driver had gone into a house. He waited for several minutes, but the driver did not appear.

A fine of \$7 was imposed.

DANGEROUS DRIVING.

Tung Kam, a taxi driver, was fined \$25 for having driven in a

RAID REVEALS REVOLVER

THREE MEN CHARGED: ONE CONVICTED

A raid by the Shamshuipo Police on the ground floor of No. 430 Portland Street yesterday had a sequel at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court before Mr. Butters this morning when four men were charged in connexion with the discovery of a revolver on the premises.

Sergeant Goodwin said the revolver was found in the cockpit which was at the time occupied by four men, Chan Lam, Yeung Yuet, Leung Chee and Chan Tai, all of whom were taken into custody.

The first defendant admitted that the revolver belonged to him, and stated that the other three did not know anything about it. Sentence of 12 months' hard labour was passed on him and the other three were discharged.

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Messrs. Ellis & Edgar have today received the following quotations by cable from Manila of the following mining stocks:—

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Big Nedge	22 cts.

dangerous manner in Wong Nei Chung Road.

Traffic Sergeant Brittain said that the defendant overtook a tramcar on the wrong side near the Leighton Cafe. It was the day of the race meet, and he was coming in the opposite direction, but defendant continued on his course.

Wong Ping-hang, the driver of a lorry, was fined \$15 for having driven at 22 miles an hour in Lockhart Road.

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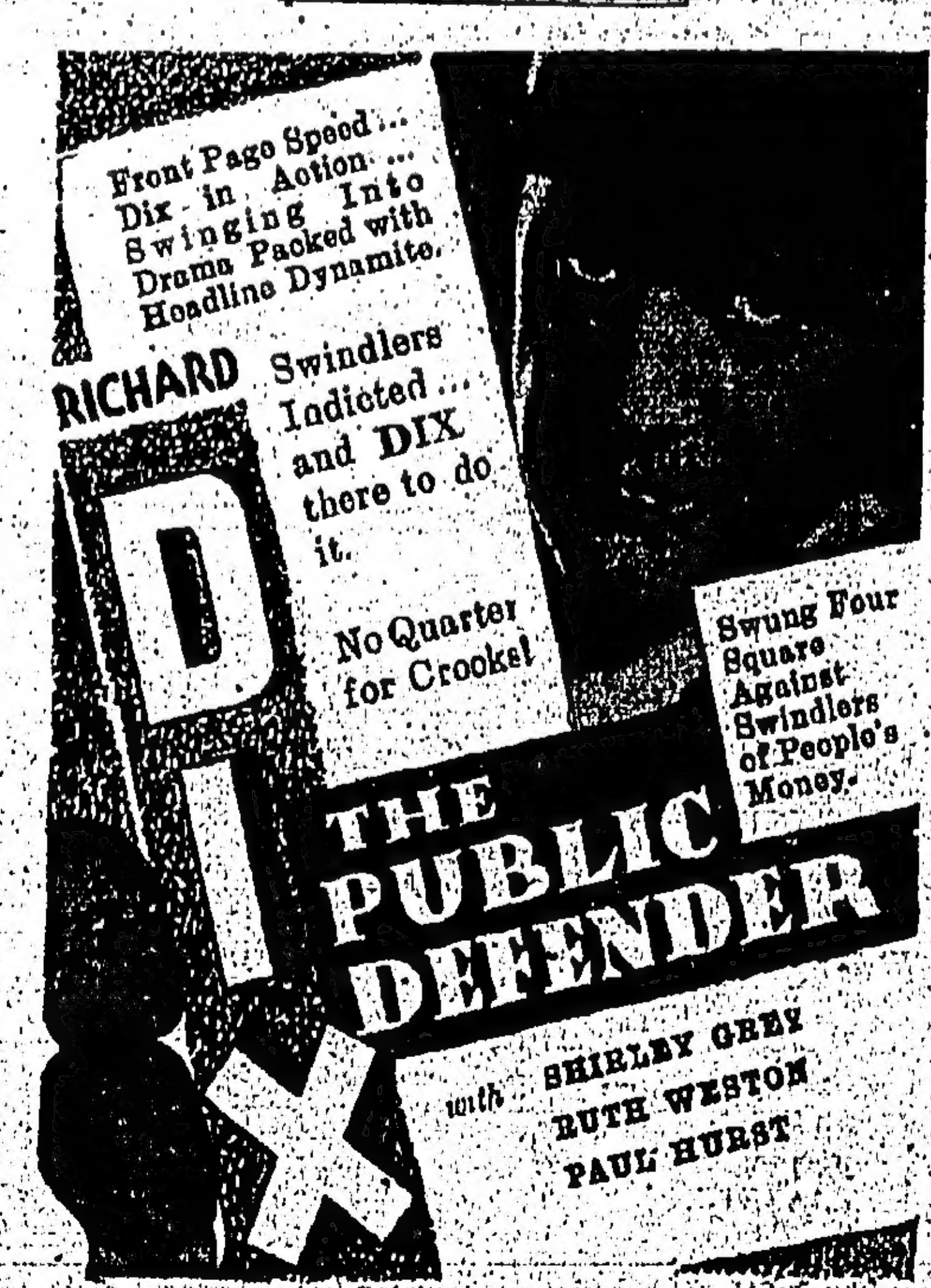
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